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Democratic Executive Com-
mittee Meet.

DAHLONEGA, Ga., April 30.
The Executive Committee of
Lumpkin County met in the court
house agreeably to due notice given
through the DAHLONEGA NUG-
GET. Chairman Joseph Allen presiding
and John H. Moore acted as
secretary. John W. Rider,
who had been appointed as a member
of the committee from High-
tower district, having failed to at-
tend E. D. Gaddis was appointed
to represent the district instead of
Mr. Rider. The following resolu-
tions were, after a free discussion,
unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the democrats of
Lumpkin county be requested to
meet at the court grounds of their
Militia Districts on Monday, the
6th day of June, then and there to
express their wishes by ballot for
Governor, State house officers and
members of Congress in a primary
election to be held on that day for
the nomination of candidates.

2nd, That all citizens who are
otherwise qualified to vote and
who are willing to abide by the
result of said primary and vote for
the nominees of the democratic
party, shall be eligible to vote in
said primary election.

Third, That the member of the
County Executive Committee residing
in each Militia District or
such person as he may designate,
is hereby authorized to hold said
primary election, count the ballots
and return the result to the board
of consolidation on Tuesday, the
7th day of June 1898. The board
of consolidation shall consist of
the members of the Executive
Committee from the several Militia
Districts.

Fourth, It shall be the duty of
the Executive Committee to ap-
point to the State and Congress-
ional Conventions delegates who
are in accord with the wishes of
the majority vote in said primary
election and whose duty it shall be
to vote for the candidate elective
in said primary as long as there is
a probability of their nomination.

Fifth, In the event there should
be a militia District in which no
election is held, then, the voters of
that district shall be qualified to
vote in an adjoining District or at
the county seat.

Sixth, Any voter in said county,
qualified as in resolution No. 2
may vote at the court house in Dahlonega
if he has not voted else-
where on that day.

On motion it was requested that
the proceedings of this meeting be
published in the DAHLONEGA NUG-
GET.

Committee adjourned to meet on
Tuesday, the 7th day of June next.
J. H. MOORE, Sec'y.

For the many accidents that occur
about the household or farm, such as
burns, scalds, bruises, cuts, ragged
wounds, bites of mosquitoes or other
insects or of animals, galls or chafed
spots from bites, aches or pains on
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or otherwise, according to Brown's Iron
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quarter of a century, it stands today for-
most potent and most valued remedies.
Brown's Iron Bitters is sold by all dealers.

Sunday in Cleveland, Ga.

Cleveland is not numerically
large but has some large hearted
citizens, several handsome residen-
ces built on modern style. All ap-
pear to be observers of the fourth
commandment. Not the sound of
an axe was heard. No boisterous
young America on the streets to
terrify the citizens. The carpet
bag with its vile contents and the
back alley rabble were all con-
spicuously absent.

This by way of contrast with
some other towns in Georgia, for
it is not known that Cleveland was
ever troubled with true breakers.
There are three churches in this
place, two whites and one colored.
Quite a good congregation was out
at the Methodist church last Sun-
day to hear Rev. A. F. Norton
preach from 1st Cor. 16-13. The
preacher did not allude to the
Spanish Cuban war, though the
text is addressed to soldiers. He
preached a fine sermon and was
listened to attentively. In the af-
ternoon the colored people gave an
exhibition of their local powers in
sacred song.

There is much talk of war but
nobody burning the woods to get
into it. Don't you reckon the man
who makes up the company would
be a little more disposed to go
a while with the boys if they would
elect him captain? You know a
commissioned officer can resign if
it doesn't suit him, but the high
private can't, at least it was that
way once.

GEORGIAN.

Who Was Guilty?

A lunacy case was tried near
Cumming last week. Dr. John
Hockenbuhl, Jr., presided as M. D.
Messrs. Joe B. Patterson and
H. V. Hawkins, whose office is lo-
cated in Ed Puet's confectionary
store, post office building, say they
represented the defendant and took
testimony. During the progress
of the trial the Doctor questioned
one of the witnesses pretty closely,
as said witness is not noted for his
mental powers, but he replied
with great firmness that the sub-
ject was of course not as bright as
some people but, "generally about
like me and you." Upon hearing
this he was adjudged insane, but
left at home on account of physical
weakness. As the court was
returning to town Mr. Patterson
opened for the defense and became
so greatly enthused that it became
necessary for his colleague to hold
him in order to prevent a wreck.
This attracted the attention of a
negro boy who ran off to the house
at a break neck speed crying,
"Ma! ma! ma! Yonder they go
with dat crazy feller. Listen how
he do be preachin and tryen to
get outen de buggy."

The young doctor and colonels
say they will hereafter refuse to
participate in Forsyth county lu-
macy cases. We don't blame them.

READER.

A Wonderful Egg Eater.

Ed. NUGGET:—
There is a young man in Cum-
ming, Ga., who has broken the
record on egg eating. Recently
he proposed to eat 16 raw eggs
without salt or grease provided
the boys would pay for them. He
cleared them up in about two min-
utes and called for more.

He now says that he can eat 20
—just drink them from the shell—
and the boys who saw him take in
the 16 do not doubt it. We will
not give his name at this writing,
but he is about 25 years of age and
wears a derby hat.

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influence is surprising promptly
restoring health energy and cheerful
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The Evils of Intemperance.

BY J. B. SHED.

One of the greatest evils with
which we have to contend is in-
temperance. Any one who begins
drinking is very apt to become a
drunkard from which few, very
few, ever reform. Therefore, con-
sidering its sure tendency and its
almost certain results it should be
avoided as a giant enemy that
seeks the destruction of mankind
and the debasement of all of its
friends. Civilization as well as
Christianity, should raise a warn-
ing voice against this unequal mon-
ster of gigantic proportions whose
only mission is and has always
been to bring to ruin and misery
those which would otherwise be
happy and prosperous homes. We
often speak of our country as
the land of liberty and home of the
free, but alas! The thousands that
are held and led as captives by this
great evil can in no way appre-
ciate the glorious and exalted priv-
ilege of freedom in all its sense.
Let us look at the mother whose
son has been a slave and brought
into bondage by intemperance and
we see in her an example of humil-
ity, sadness and sorrow. When
on the other hand were her son
free we would see in her joy, con-
tentment and happiness visible to
all with whom she associates. Look
at the wife who received from her
husband a solemn promise to care
for, comfort and protect her
through the stormy voyage of life
as she despondently walks the road
to the end of her journey. That
which would have been joy is
changed to sorrow, sunshine to
gloom and life to perpetual death.
Once more I ask you to survey
with me the kingdom where this
monster rules and see the thou-
sands of helpless children who, in-
stead of finding a friend and pro-
tector in their father, shun and
dread his presence as though he
were a demon from the regions of
darkness. Children, with great
possibilities before them, are led as
captives by this great evil until
our prisons, our jails and our
chain gangs are filled with harden-
ed criminals whom we find almost
impossible to reform. Young
men, are you drifting in this di-
rection? If so, now is the time to
stop before you lose control of
your manhood which will sooner
or later be so and your destiny
sealed to fill a drunkards grave.

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humanity than that sterling old household
remedy, Brown's Iron Bitters. It seems to
contain the very elements of good health,
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The New Army Bill.

The new army bill, empowering
the president to call out the volun-
teer force of the national com-
pletely upsets the present militia
arrangements and provides, prac-
tically, for a complete organiza-
tion of the state.

The bill makes provision for in-
corporating companies and regi-
ments of the National Guard into
the army, but for retaining the
officers only so far as the difference
in the size of the regiments makes
it possible. It is doubtful if the
bill will meet with the hearty ap-
proval of the volunteer militia,
and, indeed, we fail to see why it
should.

1. The volunteer army shall be
maintained only during the exist-
ence of war or while war is immi-
nent.

Enlistment is for three years,
but the end of the war terminates
the service.

3. Volunteers will be accepted,
as far as possible, in proportion to
population of their states and ter-
ritories, and the District of Colum-
bia.

4. Regimental and company offi-
cers may be appointed by the
President upon nomination by the
governors of their respective
states.

5. Militia organizations may en-
list "in a body," and when they
do their regimental and company
officers may be appointed to com-
mand them.

Officers and men will be on the
same footing as to pay, allowances
and pensions as those of corre-
sponding grades of regulars.—Ex.

Newspaper Laws.

Dr. Tuckerman, editor of The
Workman Cleveland, has taken
some pains to collect and compile
the decisions of the United States
Court on this subject, and gives to
the Washington Post as the result
of his investigations, the follow-
ing:

1. Subscribers who do not give
express notice to the contrary are
considered as wishing to renew
their subscription.

2. If subscribers order the dis-
continuance of their periodical,
the publisher may continue to send
them until all arrearages are paid.

3. If subscribers neglect or re-
fuse to take their periodicals from
the postoffice to which they are
directed, they are responsible un-
til they have settled their bills, and
ordered them discontinued.

4. If the subscribers move to
other places without informing the
publisher, and the papers are sent
to the former address, they are
held responsible.

5. The courts have decided that
refusing to take periodicals from
the office, or removing and leaving
them uncollected, is, prima facie
evidence of intentional fraud.

6. If subscribers pay in advance
they are bound to give notice at
the end of the time, if they don't
wish to continue taking it, other-
wise the publisher is authorized to
send it, and the subscriber will be
held responsible until an express
notice, with payment of all arrear-
ages is sent to the publisher.

The latest postal laws are such
that newspaper publishers can
arrest any one for fraud who takes
a paper and refuses to pay for it.
Under this law the man who allows
his subscription to run along for
some time unpaid and then orders
it discontinued or orders the post-
master to mark it "refused," and
have a postal card sent notifying
the publisher, leaves himself liable
to arrest and fine the same as for
theft.

GETTING READY

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ing from four to fifteen dwts. per ton, veins

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to run all machinery for crushing ore on

said property. Also mineral lots in Lump-

kin county Nos. 610, 661, 612, 613, 614,

615 and 616, containing 40 acres, more or

less. Those wishing to examine any of

said property with the view of purchasing

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Dahlonega, Ga.

Don't Neglect Your Liver.

Liver troubles quickly result in serious

complications, and the man who neglects his

liver has little regard for health. A bottle

of Brown's Iron Bitters taken now and then

will keep the liver in perfect order. If the

disease has developed, Brown's Iron Bitters

will cure it permanently. Strength and

vitality will always follow its use.

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THE NUGGET.

DAHLONEGA, GA., MAY 6, 1898.

Entered at the Postoffice at Dahlonega, Ga., P. O. as Second Class Matter.

Hon. F. C. Tate speaks on the 14th inst. at 2 p. m. in Dahlonega.

Col. H. H. Perry has been elected Captain of the Gainesville Piedmont Rifles.

The populist failed to make any nomination for the Senate in Cleveland last Tuesday, but will later on.

A bolt of lightning caused the destruction of a powder mill at Sacramento, Cal., last Saturday, killing one man.

Hon. R. L. Berner, candidate for Governor, will address the people of Lumpkin county at Dahlonega, Friday May 13th.

Col. Livingston seems to be hard to beat out for Congress down his way. He will be his own success or again. He is an old rat in the barn.

Jim Houston, who was shot in Gainesville the other day by another negro named John Byrd, died later on and Byrd is now wanted for murder.

Last week Alfred Singleton, a negro who was raised in Dahlonega, deposited \$130, at his mother-in-laws house in Gainesville instead of a bank and some one stole it.

Even old man Gen. Longstreet wants to go to war. He can't hear without a trumpet but might do good service. But he might turn a Spaniard after the war is over.

Two Russians are badly wanted in Chicago. One is charged with embezzlement to the tune of \$900,000 and the other \$75,000. Had it been 25 cents it would have been called stealing.

Those wishing to run for an office should let the people know it through the columns of the Nugget. It is read by hundreds of people every week, which will be a cheaper way to tell the voters than to lose the time in going around to see them.

Every body that loves to hear candidates tell what they have done and what they are going to do if elected, ought to come to Dahlonega next week. Hon. R. L. Berner will speak here next Friday, and Hon. F. C. Tate will talk to you the next day.

The Democratic Executive Committee of Lumpkin county met last Saturday and fixed the 6th of June as the proper time to hold primary elections throughout the county, proceedings of the meeting to be found on the first page of today's issue. All parties who are willing to support the nominees for Governor, State House Officers and Congressmen will be permitted to participate in the primaries.

Last Saturday was the day fixed by the Chairman of the populists of Lumpkin county to meet and select a delegate to attend the senatorial convention billed for Cleveland last Tuesday, but there was but one populist that came to town that day, and that was Polk Head, and he got tired of waiting and left for home at about eleven o'clock. Of course there was no meeting nor delegate elected. The farmers are giving the tilling of the soil more attention first now than politics which pay them much better.

The United States navy department has accepted an offer of Mr. Edwin F. Baker of Baltimore, president of the National Association of Homing-Pigeon Fanciers to supply war and scout vessels with homing pigeons. Mr. Baker says at least 10,000 pigeons can be supplied, principally from Baltimore, Philadelphia, Trenton, Fall River and Boston. About 1,000 birds are now being trained in Baltimore. The plan is to place about 200 birds on each vessel requiring them taking them from different cities. In case of need the birds liberated would be those from the city nearest the vessel.

Brief War Notes Taken From Each Paper Daily.

FRIDAY.
The Madrid papers claim that the fight of Mantanzas last week was a victory for the Spaniards, and that the Americans run.

The Americans captured another prize the other day—the Guido, a steel screw steamer of 3,133 tons gross and 2,872 net, valued at \$400,000. She carried a crew of 30 men, and was captured by the Terror. Five shots were fired, two of which passed through the pilot house of the Guido the splinters of which wounded one or two men.

The New York Journal has a special bolt which keeps this great daily posted on war matters from various places.

The Columbus Gards will not engage in war just now. A proposition was made to them to go to Cuba and they prefer staying at home.

Gov. Taylor, of Tennessee declares his intention of going with the Tennessee volunteers.

SATURDAY.
The American flag, City of Paris, about which it was feared that the Spaniards would capture has been sighted east of Fire Island.

It is said to be the intention of the Spaniards to concentrate 40,000 troops on the Canary Islands.

Governor Atkinson has asked the President to make him Brigadier General of the Georgia volunteers.

The hundreds of troops that have been camped at Chickamauga have been ordered to Tampa, Fla., and other points. The trains have been unable to move the soldiers as fast as they were ordered away. It is said that Spanish spies were at Chickamauga watching the movements of the soldiers.

The officers to take charge of the Georgia Volunteers have been named. Among them is E. H. Alman, a former student of the Dahlonega College, who gets a majors place.

Jesse Higgins, colored, of Atlanta, is organizing a company of negro militia and has tendered his services to Gen. Graham.

A recruiting officer will be sent to Georgia so as to give the negroes a chance to enlist in the regular army and fight Spain. Between 3,000 and 4,000 will be added to Gen. Brooke's command.

SUNDAY.
Gen. E. Nuez has secured the services of 5,000 Cubans, says a Jacksonville dispatch, who have volunteered for service in the Cuban army and are waiting orders to leave for the island.

The Cracker manufactories of Atlanta are running every day and Sunday too, making hard task to supply army with food. Mr. Block has an order of 30,000 pounds.

The most gigantic gun ever made has been completed and will defend New York harbor. It will carry a shell two miles further than has ever been done, and will throw a projectile shell weighing hundreds of pounds. Its confined weight is 30 tons heavier than any previous gun and is warranted to send a 2,300 pound shell through three feet of the heaviest armor plate steel put upon the outside of war vessels.

MONDAY.
Advices from Manila say that the American squadron, under Commodore Dewey, opened a strong cannonade against the Spanish squadron and forts protecting the harbor Saturday, and severely damaged Don Juan de Austria and killed her commander. Another Spanish vessel was burned and the American squadron retired slightly damaged. A second engagement resulted in the American squadron suffering considerable loss and two of the Spanish warships were slightly crippled.

A dispatch from Madrid says that Cubans are offering their services to fight for Spain.

A telegram from the Philippines state that two Spanish cruisers were completely burned and other ships had to retire, some of them being sunk to keep from being captured by the enemy. All the Spanish vessels suffered heavily which has caused great rejoicing.

The capital of Philippine island is said to be short of food and ammunition and is in bad shape to fight.

Ten thousand soldiers are engaged in throwing up earth works at Mantanzas. Marshal declares that he will resist assaults as long as men can fight.

Frankford Arsenals are now turning out 100,000 cartridges per day at Philadelphia.

A move is being made now to invade Cuba in a day or so. Soon as our forces arrive they will be reinforced by about 2,500 men who are trained to fighting the climate as well as the Spaniards in Cuba.

TUESDAY.
The report of the victory of Dewey's battle with the Spanish fleet on Saturday as reported in yesterday's morning's dailies has been confirmed, causing much rejoicing among the American people.

A dispatch from London says that Dewey's fleet is off Corregidor island, hotly engaged with a fort there. Electrical experiments show cable cut at or near Manila, which causes a delay in receiving war news. It is suggested that the half breeds at Manila arsenal, who are rebels at heart, cut the cables connecting the sub-marine mines and thus enabled Dewey to force the harbor in safety.

A vessel from New York has gone to Dewey with 5,000 tons of coal.

Vessels are at Tampa ready to transport 6,000 troops to the island of Cuba.

Eighty thousand pounds of hard tack was shipped from Atlanta last Monday to Tampa for the army.

Mexico's first subscription list towards building a war ship for Spain is \$360,000. It is reported that Spain has purchased two foreign war ships but no detail of the transactions are given.

A few days ago the convention of female nurses met in New York and sent a letter to Secretary of War stating that 2,000 trained nurses tendered their services to the department.

John Jacob Astor has tendered a battery and Miss Helen Gould \$100,000 to the government.

WEDNESDAY.
Nothing new in war circles today except it is reported that Spain is preparing to make a supreme effort to defeat our ships in the gulf and the invasion of Cuba will likely be deferred until Spanish fleets appear.

The president may send a strong force of military force to enable Commodore Dewey to enforce our control of the Philippine islands.

The postmaster general has issued an order to establish a postal service in the Cuban port first occupied by the U. S.

The Georgia volunteers will be located at Chickamauga.

The factories in Atlanta have received another order for 100,000 pounds of hard tack for the soldiers.

Dr. Lenard Wood, the famous Indian fighter, has gone West after a regiment of cow boys to fight Spaniards.

THURSDAY.
Today's papers contain nothing from Dewey but report that Spain is in a state of revolution. Riots prevail throughout Spain and the government cannot rely on army. Throne is extremely anxious for an early end of the war.

United States can secure coal and repair her war ships in ports of the Pacific Ocean as president Dole has tendered Hawaii to Mr. McKinley as base of supplies.

Sampson has sailed away from Key West to appear at Porto Rico and aims to destroy Spain's supplies and then engage her war vessels.

Nearly every state in the union has her quota of troops ready except Georgia. Her citizens are familiar with war and dread it.

Mepherston is made prison for Spaniards. Those captured by

Sampson are on their way here.

New York, May 5.—A special to The Press, from Key West, says that Cienfuegos has been bombarded. The Marblehead not only silenced the batteries of the town, on the afternoon of April 29th, but shelled the town itself, playing havoc with the buildings and driving thousands of the inhabitants into the interior.

The shooting at the forts was at 4,000 yards. As soon as the forts were disabled Captain McCalla ordered the 5-inch guns to be given an elevation to reach 800 yards. Firing began with the starboard batteries forward by the ports.

Local Items.
Mr. Blackburn is now using the painters brush on Mrs. Reese's house, which adds much to the appearance of the place generally.

Corn meal has become so scarce in the Dahlonega market that it has to be shipped here from Atlanta and sold at 80 cents per bushel.

Col. Price is still suffering from his recent fall and is unable to walk to town. He came up in a buggy last Monday and voted in the town election.

Dr. Jones and Lone Bruce are going into the lumber business. They will soon have a saw mill ready for running up in Yahoola district.

We were pleased to have a visit this week from Rev. A. F. Norton and his son Dr. John Norton, of Cleveland. They reported things moving along as usual up there.

Capt. Tillson is now in Cleveland, Ohio, and will not return to Dahlonega until sometime in September. He has been appointed as a recruiting officer and is in Ohio getting up men for the regular army.

A NEW TRIUMPH.
The Dreaded Consumption Can Be Cured.

T. A. Slocum, the Great Chemist and Scientist, Will Send to Sufferers, Three Free Bottles of His Newly Discovered Remedies to Cure Consumption and All Lung Troubles.

Nothing could be fairer, more philanthropic or carry more joy to the afflicted, than the generous offer of the honored and distinguished chemist, T. A. Slocum, M. C., of New York City.

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He has proved the "dreaded consumption" to be a curable disease beyond a doubt, in any climate, and has on file in his American and European laboratories, thousands of "heartfelt testimonials of gratitude" from those benefited and cured, in all parts of the world.

Catastrophal and pulmonary troubles lead to consumption, and consumption, uninterrupted, means speedy and certain death. Don't delay until it is too late. Simply write T. A. Slocum, M. C., 98 Pine street, New York, giving express and postoffice address, and the free medicine will be promptly sent. Please tell the Doctor you saw his offer in the NUGGET. Jan. 28.

"BEFORE BABY IS BORN."

A Valuable Little Book of Interest to All Women Sent Free.

Every woman looks forward with feelings of indescribable joy to the momentous event of her life, compared with which all others pale into insignificance. How proud and happy she will be when her precious babe nestles on her breast, and sweet the name of "Mother!" And yet her happy anticipation of this event is clouded with misgivings of the pain and danger of the ordeal, so that it is impossible to avoid the feeling of constant dread which creeps over her.

And suffering attendant upon being a mother can be entirely prevented, so that the coming of the little stranger need not be looked forward to with fear and trembling, as is so often the case. Every woman who reads this paper can obtain absolutely free a valuable and attractive little book entitled "Before Baby is Born," by sending her name and address to the Bradfield Regulator Co., Atlanta, Ga. This book contains priceless information for all women, and no one should fail to read it.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR THE LEGISLATURE.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. V. Harbison as a candidate to represent Lumpkin county in the House of the next Legislature.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate to represent Lumpkin county in the next legislature of this state and will appreciate the votes of my friends and if elected will do all I can for the county's best interests.

I am, respectfully,

F. M. WILLIAMS.

FOR CLERK.

I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for clerk of the superior court of Lumpkin county and ask the support of all voters regardless of their race or politics and promise if elected to serve them to the best of my ability.

G. C. WALLACE.

FOR TAX RECEIVER.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. A. Anderson for tax Receiver of Lumpkin county at the ensuing election in October.

FOR SHERIFF.

To the voters of Lumpkin: I announce myself as a candidate for Sheriff of Lumpkin county and respectfully ask the voters to give me their support. If elected I will faithfully perform the duties of such office to the best of my ability.

Respectfully,

J. M. DAVIS.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

To the voters of Lumpkin County: I take this method of announcing my candidacy for re-election to the office of county treasurer and hope to receive a hearty support from you. Thanking you for past favors and hoping for a continuance of the same, I am yours respectfully,

E. F. JACKSON.

FOR TAX COLLECTOR.

To the voters of Lumpkin County, I announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of tax collector. Thanking you for past favors and hoping my efforts to serve you for the past year will meet your approval, and if so I feel sure I will have your support in the coming election.

Yours Truly,

J. F. SARGENT.

We are requested to announce the name of George W. Walker, Jr., as a candidate for tax collector of Lumpkin county who promises to discharge the duties of such office to the best of his ability and to the satisfaction of all if elected.

TAX RECEIVER'S SECOND ROUND.

I will be at Auraria, April 28th 10 a. m., Martin's Ford 20th, 10 a. m., Washoo 27th, 10 a. m., Short Creek 29th, 10 a. m., Crumby's 29th, 10 a. m., Porter Springs 3 p. m., Frog Town 30th 4 p. m., Chestnut May 2d, 9 a. m., Yahoola 3d, 10 a. m., Cane Creek 4th, 10 a. m., Hightower 5th, 10 a. m., Davis 6th, 10 a. m., Nimblywell 7th, 10 a. m., Mill Creek 8th, 10th a. m., Jones' Creek 10th, 10 a. m., Dahlonega 12th and 13th.

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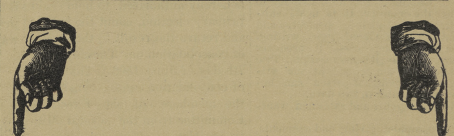
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THE NUGGET.

DAHLONEGA, GA., MAY 6, 1898.

George Marlow is quite sick.

Charlie Hope, of Gainesville, was up this week.

U. S. Deputy Marshal Ben Landers was up from Gainesville last Wednesday.

Our friend Frank Hunt, who went to school in Dahlonega fifteen years ago, was up from Gainesville this week putting up a monument for A. G. Wimpy which he had recently sold.

Wm. Owens, who resides opposite Dr. Howards, has been sick for some time and is in a bad fix. He now has the lock jaw and can eat nothing except food of a liquid nature and cannot get that, except when it is furnished him by our kind and generous hearted people. He has four little children that have to be provided for. Some of the ladies have already been caring for the sick man. Let others go or send and help share in the duties these ladies are performing.

A large whirlwind passed over where Mr. Wm. Caverender was at work Tuesday on the top of a building. Notwithstanding the fact that the old man has put in a claim for a state pension on account of disabilities, when he saw it coming roaring like thunder he lit off of the house as quick as an snipe as a sixteen-year old school boy. It carried up rails, brush and swept off a negro woman's clothing hanging out on a fence, some of which she has never seen or heard of since.

At the regular meeting of the town council last Monday evening Mayor pro tem Harbison preferred charges against Marshal Davis for incompetency and neglect of duty. He was handed a copy and given until a call meeting on Wednesday night to answer them. Then the body assembled at the residence of Mayor Ptoce as he was unable to get to town, and after some time took a vote on the matter, which stood two for retaining the services of Mr. Davis and two to discharge him—Harbison and Strickland voted against retaining him and Williams and Wallace for, which left it entirely with the Mayor; who reprimanded him and decided in his favor with the understanding that Mr. Davis will be discharged the first time he neglects his duty hereafter. Now let us respect the marshal in his old age hereafter and not endeavor to trample on his feelings in his declining years simply because he is good-natured and dislikes to injure any of us, but on the other hand if we violate the rules of the town, let us go up like men and acknowledge "to the corn" and pay out and endeavor to do better in the future.

Mrs. Tessie Owens, who plead guilty at the last term of the court for selling liquor and was sentenced to pay a fine of \$100 and costs or serve in the chain gang twelve months, is still in jail. The authorities have not as yet received a single proposition from those working convicts up to this writing. A letter was received from Judge Kinsey last Tuesday saying that the sentence of the court must be carried out. It is thought by some that if they can't get any one to take her that the Judge will release the unfortunate woman to the penitentiary when he returns to Dahlonega on the 14th for the purpose of transacting other court business, then there will be less trouble of disposing of her. Later—Judge Tate received a letter from Atlanta last Wednesday stating that they would take Mrs. Owens in the chain gang there if delivered but would not pay any thing for her. The woman wants to give a mortgage on some home hold and kitchen furniture so as to keep from going, but the officers will not risk it without the consent of Judge Kinsey. Ordinary Tate went up into White yesterday who will try to see the Judge. If not Mrs. Owens will be carried off this morning.

The weather is growing warm now and the farmers are happy.

Miss Mattie Moore, who has been spending some weeks with her brother in Anniston, Ala., will return home next week.

The recent break in the canal at the Barlow has been repaired and J. F. Bruce is now in charge of the works, making things boom down that way.

The fines amounting to \$275 at the recent court were all caused by liquor. This is a good deal of money to waste on one single unnecessary article.

Dr. Jesse Reed and lady, of Acworth, after remaining in Dahlonega with relatives and friends for about two weeks, returned home last Friday.

First day of May was the time fixed by the town council for the first half years taxes to be paid, but only three or four complied with the ordinance.

Marshal Davis last week while working the streets didn't forget our end of the line. Small favors are thankfully received for it is the first attention it has received for many months.

The commissions for the newly elected members of the Board of Education of Lumpkin county have been received by the ordinary who is ready to qualify them and give them their "sheep skins."

Under the proper heading will be found brief notes of the war as received by the mail every day up to going to press after the stage arrivals on Thursday, which enables our readers to get the very latest news.

John Findley has just completed him an eighteen foot boat over at the Neisler Ford and has it donned with the stripes of the red, white and blue. Whenever he is called to fight Spain he will take a near shoot down the Chestatee river.

Our school enumerators: Reys, Brown and Stargel, have been quite busy in arranging their reports as to the school population of Lumpkin county. They have had quite a task as it is a difficult thing to find all the families in the county where there are school children.

The election for school bonds received 84 votes last Monday. It was a very quiet election and those who opposed it didn't cast their ballots which counted just the same as if they had voted. It was an unusually quiet election without a single drop of liquor being used which we are proud to relate. There were 123 registered voters and the 84 ballots cast gave for bonds a majority of only one vote, two-thirds vote of those registering being required to carry it according to law.

Last Saturday the citizens met and carried out the program that had to be postponed the 26th on account of the inclement weather. Col. Price was unable to be out and Mr. W. H. Satterfield carried out his part of the program. Every year that the veterans meet for the purpose of saying something in memory of their dead comrades their number grows less, and in a few more years they will all be gone leaving no one to meet and talk about their struggles on these sad occasions except those relating it from history.

Last Sunday was meeting day at Auraria for the Baptist people to gather, take the sacrament and serve the Lord in a proper manner. As is usual on May meetings the people congregated there for miles around. Many going from Dahlonega. A blockader took advantage of the occasion and brought a keg of liquor near enough to supply those who had gathered for the purpose of assisting the devil in his work. The result was some of those who imbibed in strong drink had their heels to fly from under them before they left the place, some fell by the road side in returning while the more fortunate ones succeeded in reaching home, but in a very mellow condition, requiring most of Monday for them to recover.

Mr. Walker of the Crescent Mine, paid Hiwassee a flying visit last week.

Capt. F. W. Hall and lady spent a portion of Sunday and Monday in Gainesville this week.

One day last week a farmer brought a load of wood to town which he had hauled fourteen miles.

Councilman Homer Strickland returned from Atlanta Monday after a few hours visit to that city.

Cols. Boyd and Charters went down to Gainesville Monday where they met Judge Kinsey on legal business.

The household of A. W. Meaders was made happy last Monday by the appearance of a beautiful little girl baby.

Even our friend Rev. I. W. Waddell wants to go to the war. He has tendered his services as chaplain of the first Georgia Regulars.

Gen. W. W. Murray, after spending a few days over at the Big Joe Mine last week returned to Tennessee. The Judge generally gives us a call when he comes near Dahlonega but didn't have time on this trip.

Both Miss Norrell, daughter of Rev. James Norrell, deceased, and Uncle Jimmie Woods, of Auraria district, are expected to die at any time. The old gentleman is so low that visitors are not admitted into his room now.

Prof. Stewart left last Monday to be absent about a week delivering lectures. The Professor never lets a chance slip in going to a big gathering where he will meet people from various localities and tell them the advantages of the N. G. A. College.

The last grand jury recommended J. B. Simmons to be appointed Notary Public of Hightower district, but the authorities when notified at Atlanta replied that James Healsand's commission was good until May, 1899. So there will be no change in officers up there for awhile.

The expenses of the jury were lower the court just past, than they have been for many years being only \$321, which leaves a right nice little sum of jury funds still in the treasury, which will likely be transferred to the bridge fund by the ordinary and used in settling off the \$300 bridge claim against the county so as to stop the interest. This move by Judge Tate will meet the approval of the citizens generally.

The grand jury at the last term of Lumpkin Superior Court returned a true bill against John Bowers, ex-tax collector John Bowers assistant, for embezzlement amounting to about \$70. Walker prosecuted him. He is not charged with taking money but paid off certain debts he was owing with tax receipts while he was handling the books. Mr. Bowers is teaching school down in Hall county and has not been arrested yet.

A surprise party was given a certain family over on the other end of town last Sunday night, which was afterwards turned into a kind of a re union by several married men of the town and the way they enjoyed themselves can better be imagined than explained. The vocal music furnished on the occasion could be heard by the neighbors for some distance away which was kept up to a late hour. Everything passed off quietly until the refreshments that had been frequently carried around began to make some of them feel like fighting and a knock down or two occurred and the crowd dispersed. The Mayor has already been given a portion of the program and as soon as he gets it all will have the marshal to present the participants with a copy and ask them to come in to the Mayors Court and pay a small amount for so much fun. Every sweet has its bitter and when their wives get hold of the program won't there be trouble in the camps?

Charlie Dotson informs us that he lost 65 or 70 panels of fencing last Friday by fire. This is certainly a heavy loss at this season of the year.

County School Commissioner J. J. Seabolt has been engaged for the past few days in paying off school teachers of Lumpkin their money for the first quarter.

We understand that old Uncle Charlie Besser, of Dahlonega, is quite sick in Atlanta. He is unconscious and it is only a question of time when he will pass away.

Esquire Wilkins, of Yahoola district, who spent several months in North Carolina some time ago, is all right again. His office has been restored to him and he is trying to transact enough official business to make up for all lost time.

The ex-confederate veterans of Lumpkin county meet at the court house in Dahlonega at 10 o'clock tomorrow for the purpose of seeing who and how many will go to the reunion in Atlanta. Quite likely Lumpkin county will be well represented in the Atlanta gathering.

Riley Dangler seems to be in hard luck since he deserted his wife. They had him under bond for disturbing divine worship, which he forfeited last court, and the grand jury returned another bill against him for like offense which gives him a full hand to play when they get him again.

Frank McDonald, who had just returned to Dahlonega after an absence of several months, was arrested last Saturday by constable Walker on a warrant charging him with wife desertion. He waived examination and gave bond. Frank tells us that he will now live with his wife which will end the suit.

We have received about half a dozen affidavits concerning a man and his wife quarreling and fighting up in Chestatee district for publication. This we cannot do. There is a bigger row now going on between Uncle Sam and Spain that is of more importance than the one up there.

James W. Deacon, the assistant secretary of the Kentucky Gold Mining Company, left for his home in Mount Holly, N. J., last Monday to be gone a month or so. Mr. Deacon has made many warm friends since being in our midst, all of whom wish him a safe trip to his home in the distant state and an early return to Dahlonega.

W. J. Burt came into town last Saturday and had his name enrolled on our subscription list. Mr. Burt leaves next week for Birmingham, Ala., and other places where he goes to sell state rights for his notes which have been seen and used by many of our readers. He has many good endorsements for his work and we predict for him a rich harvest for his labors for a man with his energy and industry will know no such word as fail.

Last Friday when we presented our bill to the ordinary for printing the last grand jury presentments according to the instructions of the jury and by an order of the Judge as laid down in section 847 of the Criminal Code, Mr. Tate informed us that he had been notified by the junior editor of the Signal not to pay us but half rates as he had published them and demanded the other half, causing the ordinary to refuse to give us an order on the treasurer for our just money, and we had to call on Judge Kinsey to assist us in getting our money as prescribed in the section above referred to. The ordinary informs us that he did not tell the junior editor of the Signal that he would use every effort to cause him to get half the money for printing them, and says that the assistant clerk of the Superior Court misunderstood him about saying that he (Mr. Tate) intended to divide the fees between the two papers, but refusing to grant us an order makes it look that way to some yet. However, we are not as mad about it as the fellow that saw the bear—vomited.

A sixty acre farm, containing an orchard and a very good house belonging to Wm. Postell, Jr., near Porter Springs, was sold by the sheriff last Tuesday for \$10. William had left it and gone to North Carolina.

Since the death of postmaster Wm. Stringer, the Garland post office has been moved about one mile down the Gainesville road to Scott Stringers, one of the bondsmen, who will keep it until the department is heard from.

J. M. Murray has sold out his stock of goods at the Big Joe Mine to J. F. Moore, of Dahlonega, and will return to his home in Tennessee to see if he can't improve his health. Ben Moore has been put in charge of the store.

Monday we had the pleasure of meeting for the first time Mr. McMullan, of Hartwell, Ga., who was up on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Vickery. Mr. McMullan couldn't remain here long as the weather was too nice he said for him to lose the time. We hope the gentleman will be able to call again soon and remain longer for he has every appearance of being a clever man.

James Whitmire was fined five dollars and trimmings—seven in all—last Monday evening by Mayor pro tem Harbison for having violated some of the town ordinances last Sunday. Jim came in in the afternoon from Auraria pretty well loaded with moonshine whiskey. After his arrival he drank a lot of cider. When it went down it collided with the whiskey resulting in an explosion of words that caused the whole town to be alarmed. Jim doesn't use liquor often but when he does he makes it injurious to himself but beneficial to the town. A man that dances must pay the fiddler. We speak from experience. We used to dance but have quit it and do not have to pay out any thing for music now and find it a great deal better.

There is a young man that is certainly in love with a beautiful girl of our town. He even likes the old mans cat and dog and the residence, shade trees and garden fence look so beautiful to him. When he sleeps he dreams about her, and while awake he has no rest only when with her, and when he goes to see her of evenings he remains until the old lady knocks on the door to notify the young couple that it is bed time and is used as a signal for him to depart. The other evening he heard a noise on the door and thinking that it was the usual signal departed. When he reached home he looked at the clock and found that he had left on a false alarm. He retired and went to dreaming about the fair one and saw her in his sleep. He's not going to Cuba unless a conscripting officer comes along.

Last Sunday night down at the church they passed resolutions thanking the Rev. Mr. Butler for the "valuable" services he rendered here during the two weeks protracted meeting he assisted in carrying on, and extended him another invitation. A number of those who he insulted voted for the resolution simply because he was a preacher, which proves that the people of Dahlonega are willing to forgive and apparently forget. If they are slapped on one cheek they will smile and turn the other. We have even known jurors here to sit on a case and convict a man and afterwards go to the judge and ask him to be as merciful on the defendant as possible, and sometimes even contribute money to keep a person from going to the chain gang. This shows a christian spirit and ought to prove to that divine that the people of Dahlonega are not as near torment as he asserted. Yes, let Mr. Butler come again. He was the means of one person joining the church and may cause another. We wish him to return and become climatized and learn that it is easier to lead people here to heaven than it is to shove them there. Vinegar catches no flies.

School Census Report.

According to the school enumerators reports there are only 36 schools in Lumpkin county, 32 whites and 4 colored. There are 16 school houses in the county but only 5 of them belong to the Board of Education. Those five are worth \$180, the other eleven houses are worth \$275, making a total of \$455 including all the school property. Eighteen schools are taught in Baptist and Methodist church houses. There are 518 white children over 10 years of age that cannot read and write and 32 colored, total that cannot read nor write 550. The report shows no deaf, dumb nor blind and only two idiots of school age in the county. There are 1,068 white males and 1,072 white females making 2,140 whites. There are 68 colored males and 72 colored females, making 140, making a total of white and colored children 2,280.

Below we give the number of children in each district for 1893 and 1798, as follows:

	1898	1893
Yahoola.....	163	177
Porter Springs.....	97	108
Hightower.....	108	107
Cane Creek.....	82	76
Davis.....	125	204
Nimblewill.....	132	125
Jones Creek.....	52	35
Mill Creek.....	111	89
Auraria.....	210	251
Crumbly.....	92	194
Chestatee.....	159	173
Frog Town.....	53	62
Shoal Creek.....	139	134
Wahoo.....	140	144
Martin's Ford.....	105	85
Dahlonega Incorporation	273	222
Dahlonega District.....	410	371
Total.....	2280	2227

College News.

A cadet who enlisted in the War Squad soon got sick of his trade and wrote to his father to send after him. The old gentleman sent for his son immediately. With much reluctance the young man bade farewell to his college mates, all the time "wondering" why his father had sent for him.

Mr. B. P. Gaillard, Jr. has been appointed sergeant of "A" company.

Corporal Bell and cadet Hamrick happened to had luck the other day. They lost their hats at the college and had to go home bare headed.

Saturday night the contest of the Oratorical Association took place. Three of the young men participated but Lieut. W. M. Smith was the successful party. Mr. Smith will go to Atlanta in August and speak in a contest with representatives from four other colleges of this state. The Graves medal will be awarded the best speaker in that contest.

If the war continues it is very likely that the Inspector General will not make his annual visit to the college as he usually does in May.

Four hands are at work on the college dormitory. The frame work is almost completed.

A messenger from Pickens county arrived here Saturday night and informed Miss Zona Stewart and her two brothers that their father and mother had been seriously hurt by a team running away. These three students left Sunday morning and are not likely to return this spring.

To-morrow night is the time set for the Decoras' public debate. Your presence is desired.

Miss Clark had charge of the pedagogy class while Prof. Stewart was off lecturing this week.

In a letter Capt. Tillson instructs the cadets not to go to war as privates.

This year there will be two declamation prizes for "A" class and two for "B." One for the boys and one for the girls in each class. The announcing of the names of the college correspondence at the chapel was a mistake. Of course any correspondence will feel a delicacy in telling "the whole truth and nothing but the whole truth" about any good thing in which he or even his society takes a prominent part.



A STRANGE CASE.

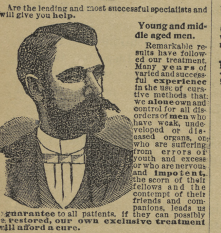
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PETITION FOR INCORPORATION. GEORGIA—Lumpkin County.

To the Superior Court of said County: The petition of John B. Atkinson, of the county of Hopkins, state of Kentucky, W. W. Murray and J. M. Murray, of the county of Carroll, state of Tennessee, J. F. Moore and D. T. Harris, of the county of Lumpkin and state of Georgia, respectfully shows:

PAR. 1st. They desire for themselves, their associates and successors, to be incorporated under the name and style of the 'BIG JOE GOLD MINING COMPANY.'

PAR. 2nd. The amount of capital stock to be employed by said corporation is to be the sum of (\$100,000) One Hundred Thousand Dollars, all of which is to be actually paid in, either in money or in property, before the business is begun.

PAR. 3rd. The principal place of business of said corporation to be at Dahlonega, Lumpkin County, Georgia, but petitioners pray for the privilege of establishing branch offices at such other points in the State of Georgia as to said corporation may seem advisable.

PAR. 4th. Petitioners pray to be incorporated, for the term of twenty years, with the privilege of renewal of their charter at the expiration of said term.

PAR. 5th. The object of said corporation is pecuniary gain to the stockholders thereof, and the business proposed to be carried on by it is the operating and mining for gold, gold ores and other precious minerals or metals.

PAR. 6th. Petitioners pray that they may be incorporated for the purpose above indicated, and granted the right to carry out such purposes as a corporation: That said corporation be granted the right to buy, lease, rent, hold and sell real estate and mining properties; To erect mills and other machinery for the reduction of gold and other mineral or metallic ores.

PAR. 7th. To construct canals, ditches or flume lines: To issue bonds and other evidences of debt. Such can be sued, Have and use a common seal, and generally to have and exercise such powers as are usually enjoyed by mining corporations under the laws of Georgia, or as are necessary to be enjoyed for the legitimate carrying out of the purposes of said corporation.

Whereas petitioners pray that an order be passed by this Honorable Court, granting the prayers of this petition, which is made in and to be governed by sections 2359 of the Code of Georgia of 1895.

And petitioners will ever pray, etc. BOYD & LILLY, Petitioners Attorneys. Filed in office April 11th 1898. JOHN H. MOORE, C. S. C.

GEORGIA—Lumpkin County. I, John H. Moore, Clerk of the Superior Court of Lumpkin County, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct copy of the original application for Charter of 'Big Joe Gold Mining Company' as appears of file in this office. Witness my official signature and the seal of said Court, this April 11th, 1898. JOHN H. MOORE, Clerk.

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Commissioner's Sale.

GEORGIA—Lumpkin County.
By virtue of an order from the Superior
Court of said county granted on the April
term 1898 in the case of Margaret P. Mur-
phy vs. Mary Murphy, Merchant and Her-
bert Joseph Murphy, the same being for the
partition by sale of the property hereinafter
described, the undersigned Commissioners
appointed by said court and being by said
court so directed to do will on the first
Tuesday in June 1898 at the court house
door in said county, within the legal hours
of sale at public outcry to the highest bidder
for cash, sell the following property to-wit:
A certain house in Dahlonega, the lot being
one hundred feet square and being a part of
lot No. 910 in the 12th district and let
section of Lumpkin county, Georgia, which
was conveyed to Wm. S. Roberts as Pres-
ident of the Augusta and Dahlonega Gold
Mining Company on the 14th day of May
1881 to the children of Mrs. Amanda Murphy.
See record in Book "U" page 54
and said property more particularly describ-
ed therein. Said sale to be made for the
purpose of making division of the proceeds
thereof between the said plaintiff and de-
fendants who are tenants in common, each
owning a one undivided third interest in
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Meeting of Lumpkin County
Veterans.

DAHLONEGA, Ga., May 7.
Lumpkin County Confederate
Veterans Camp Martin No. 1 met
and were called to order by Com-
mander F. M. Williams. The
meeting was opened with prayer
by Rev. W. H. McAfee.

On motion W. J. Worley was
elected secretary and instructed to
call on the former secretary for the
minutes and roll of membership.

The following new members
were enrolled to-wit: E. W. Par-
rish, Co. H., 16th N. C. Regt. I.
W. Woody, Co. F., 34th Ark. In-
fantry. W. B. Martin, Co. A.,
Lucas Bat., S. C. Regulars. John
Beck, Co. A., 24th Ga. Vol. J.
L. Stover, Co. E., 24th Ga. Vol.
W. P. Gillispie, Co. H., Cobb's
Legion Cavalry.

W. T. Stringer enrolled as Son
of Veteran.

The secretary read communica-
tions from Gen. C. A. Evans,
President, and John O. Waddell
secretary Confederate Region As-
sociation, giving instructions and
information to this camp.

Capt. Joseph Allen was unani-
mously elected Commissary Gen-
eral.

The following named members
will attend the Confederate Re-
union at Atlanta in July next: F.
M. Williams, Com. W. P. Price,
Sr., V. Com., Joseph Allen, Com.
Gen., W. H. McAfee, Chap., W.
J. Worley, Sec., W. H. Cook, W.
Martin, D. M. Davis, F. V. Moore,
M. G. Boyd, T. H. Worley, W.
P. Gillispie, W. M. Armstrong,
John Beck, A. Hyden, J. L. Stew-
art, J. J. Marlow, Tilman Davis,
M. R. Moore, J. C. Williams, Bev.
Brooks.

On motion of Col. M. G. Boyd
the Commander was authorized to
place an advertisement in the city
papers calling on all citizens of
Lumpkin county, who feel free to
do so, to contribute a small amount
from 25 cents up for the purpose
of raising a fund to defray the ex-
penses of old soldiers who are un-
able to pay their own expenses to
the confederate re-union in Atlan-
ta 20, 21, 22 and 23rd of July next.

On motion a committee of four
consisting of W. H. Cook, W. H.
McAfee, Joseph Allen and M. G.
Boyd were appointed to draft
suitable resolutions on the life and
death of Dr. B. F. Chapman, Wm.
Stringer and Wm. Palmer, decas-
ed veterans, and report at our next
meeting to be held on Saturday,
the 18th of June next at 10 o'clock.

On motion the city papers were
requested to publish these pro-
ceedings.

Minutes read and adopted. Meet-
ing adjourned.

F. M. WILLIAMS, Com.
W. J. WORLEY, Secy.

The Spanish battleships and
cruisers cannot carry coal enough
to last them twenty-four hours
after arriving on this side. The
torpedo boats to be supplied with
coal daily. Since modern naval
warfare is a matter of coal, coal,
coal, how can Spain put up a fight
if we act promptly in seizing Ha-
vana and San Juan?—New York
World.

For the many accidents that occur
about the household or farm, such as
burns, scalds, bruises, cuts, ragged
wounds, bites of mosquitos or other
insects or of animals, galls or chafed
spots, frost bites, aches or pains on
any part of the body or the ailments
resulting from exposure to neuralgia,
rheumatism, etc., Dr. J. H. McLean's
Volcanic Oil Liniment has proved
itself a sovereign remedy. Price
25c, 50c and \$1 a bottle. At Moore
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Let the Military Go First.

One reason why men are so slow
in Ga. to volunteer is because the
Governor has appointed his pets as
officers and wants to shove the vol-
unteers right off to Cuba and keep
the militia at home out of danger.
The drilled men should be sent
first and give the others time to
prepare themselves. It is bad pol-
icy to send men to Cuba to fight
who do not know a single com-
mand of an officer.

The Jackson Herald speaks our
sentiments exactly in the follow-
ing sensible editorial:

"For ten years the people of
Georgia have been taxed \$25,000
each year to maintain a state
militia. The total amount spent
in that time is \$250,000, or one
fourth of a million dollars.

While this appropriation has been
annually made to maintain a
state militia it has been done over
the protest of a large part of the
citizenry of this state, but each
year this amount has been spent in
buying guns, buying uniforms,
and sending the soldiers on a sum-
mer excursion and picnic.

What services have they rendered
the state?

If ever they made any defense,
except on one celebrated occasion,
when they were transported to
Waycross by Governor Northern
to prevent prize fighters from
invading our commonwealth, we
have never heard of it. During all
these ten years this sum has been
spent, and yet the state has never
needed their militia services.

But war has been declared by
this grand united commonwealth
of ours, and Georgia has been
called on to furnish her quota of
soldiers. It was supposed that the
militia would be the first to go, but
the governor of this state says they
must be kept at home, as Georgia
is threatened with invasion from a
foreign foe, and asks men to vol-
unteer—leave the field, the farm,
the shop, the store, the mine, and
other avocations, and volunteer as
privates, but they can't have any
of the offices, as all the officers
must be appointed from the militia.
He does not want the trained sol-
diers to go, but wants them to stay
here far away from the rattle of
musketry and sound of the cannon,
while the men who have been
paying Georgia's taxes, educating
Georgia's children, bearing the
burden of the state go and lay
down their lives, leaving their
wives widows, and little children
fatherless.

Was ever such a proposition
submitted to an intelligent public?

Let the trained soldiers go to the
front, and if a foreign foe plants
his foot on the soil of this state, or
the United States, the strong man-
hood of this empire state of the
south will arise voluntarily, simulta-
neously and courageously, and
with Spartan bravery repel the in-
vaders from our borders.

The great mass of men in this
country are ready to shoulder gun
and grip almost any day to defend
our country but they want the
trained soldiers to first respond to
the call for men to go to Cuba."

A SECRET.

If all the ladies knew the simple
secret that a bad complexion is due
to a disordered liver, there would be
fewer sallow complexions and
blotchy skins. This important organ
must be kept active and healthy to
insure a clear and rosy color. Dr.
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creams and lotions in existence, and
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skin, wind on the stomach, and that
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indicates the torpid liver. Price \$1.
00 a bottle. Moore & McGuire's.

What a Change in School
Books Will Cost Us.

As stated in a previous issue of
the NUGGET we said that we were
afraid that the Board of Education
of Lumpkin county had made a se-
rious mistake in changing the
school books, one which would be
injurious to the poor class of peo-
ple and prevent some children
from reaping the benefits of the
school fund intended for them be-
cause their parents are unable to
purchase these new books for the
lack of the necessary means. Poor
men with a large family are un-
able to do it and there is no use of
talking about it. There are 2350
children in Lumpkin county of
school age. More than 500 of these
can neither read nor write. They
do not even know "Twinkle, twin-
kle little star," that is in the
present books in use. Let them
become better acquainted with it
in the old books. Then it will be
ample time to make a change. You
will get some idea of what a change
of books will cost the people of
this county by looking over the
following prices of the books want-
ed:

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" " 2nd grade 25c
" " 3rd grade 40c
" " 4-5th grade 60c
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Sandar's School Primer 7c
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Conklin's English Grammar 60c
Field's Grammar School History
\$1.00.

American System of Vertical
Writing 8c.
Webster's Primar Dictionary
84c.

Webster's Common School Dic-
tionary 72c.

All these books amount to \$5.99.
Then look at the number of chil-
dren that have to be supplied with
books—2350—and several hundred
families will have to secure every
one in the list.

A missouri orator is said by an
exchange to have gotten off the
following: "We live in the land
of high mountains and high taxes,
low valleys and low wages, low
crooked rivers and big crooked
statesmen, big lakes, big strikes,
big drinks, big pumpkins, big
men with pumpkin heads, silver
streams that gambol in the moun-
tains and pious politicians who
gambol in the night, roaring
cataracts and roaring orators, fast
horses, fast young men and girls
fast, faster, faster, sharp lawyers,
sharp financiers and sharp toed
shoes, noisy children, fertile plains
that lie like sheets of water, and
thousands of newspapers that lie
like thunder."

"At one time Spain was the
greatest of powers, owner of half
the world, and now has only a few
islands, the small change of her
great fortune, the few pennies in
her almost empty purse, souvenirs
of departed wealth, of van-great-
ness. Now Spain is bankrupt, not
only in purse, but in higher facul-
ties of the mind, a nation without
progress; without thought; still
devoted to bull fights and super-
stitious disease by religious pro-
cessions. Spain is a part of the
mediaeval ages, belongs to an
ancient generation. It really has
no place in the nineteenth cen-
tury."—Ingersoll.

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Obituary.

On the morning of the 20th of
April 1898, at 6 o'clock, death en-
tered the quiet home of R. R. and
Sarah J. Stargel, and removed
from their fond embrace one of
their precious children.

Tintie M. Stargel, aged 14 years,
10 months and 10 days. She was
sick only four days, and while her
suffering was severe in the ex-
treme, she bore her affliction with
much patience and christian zeal.
Tintie was a remarkably pleasant
and affectionate child, industrious
and careful. She was usually the
first to rise in the morning and the
last of the family to retire at night.
She possessed an unusually good
intellect, learned books at school
very rapidly. She was a favorite
at home, in the family, at school,
among the school mates and at
church; among the young christi-
ans. She exhibited many quali-
ties that characterize people much
older than herself, especially in
the care for and protection of little
children. She seemed to have a
quick and easy way of fixing their
affection. In her death we feel
that the family has been robbed of
one of its brightest jewels, and the
church of one of her most pious
young members. Yet we bow in
submission to the will of Him who
doth all things well. The removal
of a sweet voice, a smiling face
and affectionate hand brings sor-
row that none but our Heavenly
Father can remove.

With a conversation which she
had with one of the sisters some
time since it would seem that Tin-
tie was apprised of the fact that
she would not live long. In ar-
ranging a cup of flowers she said
to her sister, "I want you to sit
this at my grave when I die." The
cup of flowers sat at the lonely
grave, while her happy spirit
rests in the home of Him who said,
"Suffer little children to come un-
to me, for of such is the kingdom
of Heaven." C. W. STARGEL.

The Tail of a Kite.

The
sparks
of life's battle
are open to all, the
lowly as well as the great,
and though in the conflict full
many must fall, you may reach to
an honored estate. Press up to
the front with a resolute mind,
and struggle with all of
your might, or soon to
your shame and
confusion you'll
find you are
but the
tail
of
a
kite.

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when one ought to be
sleeping. To eat sweets
and salads when the
stomach craves the
simplest food or none
at all. To laugh
when one wants to
cry. To be a society
demonstrator. What a
strain on the
nerves of deli-
cate wo-
men!

The dreadful
headaches. The
crushing pains in
the back and loins.
The blues. All
such symptoms in-
dicate serious de-
rangements of the
delicate female or-
ganism, and must
be overcome at
once. Remove the
cause. Strengthen
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averaging from 6 to 18 inches thick. Creek
running through 500 acres sufficient water
to run all machinery for crushing ore on
said property. Also mineral land, Lumpkin
county Nos. 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635,
12th and 13th, containing 40 acres, more or
less. Those wishing to examine any of
said property with the view of purchasing
should address W. H. McAfee,
Dahlonega, Ga.

Don't Neglect Your Liver.

Liver troubles quickly result in serious
complications, and the man who neglects his
liver has little regard for health. A bottle
of Brown's Iron Bitters taken now and then
will keep the liver in perfect order. If the
disease has developed, Brown's Iron Bitters
will cure it permanently. Strength and
vitality will always follow its use.
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THE NUGGET.

DAHLONEGA, GA., MAY 13, 1898.
Entered at the Postoffice at Dahlonega, Ga., P. O.
as Second Class Matter.

Pickens county pays her public school teachers three and one half cents per day.

The farmers are so busy that it will prevent many from hearing Mr. Berner and Mr. Tate speak tomorrow and next day.

The largest stockyards in the world are in Chicago, Illinois. The combined plants represent an investment of over \$10,000,000. The yards contain 20 miles of streets, 20 miles of water-troughs, 50 miles of feeding troughs, and 75 miles of water and drainage troughs. The yards are capable of receiving and accommodating daily 20,000 cattle, 20,000 sheep and 120,000 hogs.

The London Times, the New York Herald and the Chicago Time Herald, three of the greatest newspapers in the world, have formed a combination to get all the war news. They have employed a staff of 125 correspondents and will put one on every American war vessel. Richard Harding Davis the brilliant journalist and literateur, will be in charge of the war correspondents.

A cable to the New York Herald says that fresh meat was selling at Havana several days ago at \$2 per pound, with the probability that the price would be double that in a few days. Such figures will recall the days of the sixties to the people of the South who once saw the time they paid \$5.00 for a pair of boots and \$1,000 for a barrel of flour, and thought they were making good bargains.—Marietta Journal.

We understand that Jerry Mingo, a Spaniard who has been living in White county for about twenty years, and Billy Jackson collided the other day. They were discussing war matters when Jerry remarked that one Spaniard could whip eight Americans. Billie did not hardly wait for the Spaniard to finish till he struck him on the nose with his fist and proved that the Spaniard had made a wrong assertion.

If the United States should be obliged to capture Havana it would not be an altogether novel experience for that city. The French besieged and destroyed the town over three hundred years ago. In 1762 a British fleet took possession of the city, handing 14,000 men and defeating a Spanish force of 27,000. It was restored to Spain in 1762 and since 1821 has remained the last important colonial possession of the Spanish crown in the Western Hemisphere.—Ex.

When the Cuban congress was called to order the other day President General Blanco in a speech declared that the United States was the cause of the war. He is certainly correct in this. Uncle Sam thought that it would be a favor to the Cubans for him to endeavor to stop the Spanish outrages in that country, but it looks very much now that he is going to get his foot into it like the fellow who endeavored to stop a man from whipping his wife. They both turned on him and he had to retire. Who knows but what it will be the same way with Cuba and Spain. Ought to have let them settle their own family rows.

We are authentically informed that the republican party of Lumpkin county will be called together in a short time, when a candidate for the legislature from this party will likely be named. The only two persons we have heard belonging to the republican party mentioned for legislative honors is Capt. Ingersoll and Rev. Mat Grizzle. If a convention is held and it is decided to put out a candidate from this "side of the house" it will be one or the other of these gentlemen. The only engagement the republicans have in politics is watching the movements of their political enemy and when they (the democrats) get settled something will happen.

Brief War Notes Taken From Each Paper Daily.

FRIDAY.
A government official came up to Gainesville to purchase a lot of mules for war purposes but couldn't get suited.

The first invasion of Cuba occurred on the 5th. A government tug steamed into the port with a party of insurgents under Gen. Baldomero Acosta and including five Cuban scouts under the leadership of Capt. J. H. Dorst of the United States Cavalry. The vessel landed four boxes of ammunition and two horses. The same night she landed a small party near Mantanzas. The tug then joined about 200 Cubans at the original landing, when they were attacked by as many Spanish cavalymen, and after a fierce battle of half an hour the Cubans repulsed the enemy.

French papers declare that Great Britain and the United States are together. Negotiations are pending between the two governments which will result in the former supporting the latter if others support Spain by attempting to stop the war.

Spain is to send more ships to Manila.
Riots are prevailing generally in Spain and the soldiers are unable to cope with the wild mobs.

SATURDAY.
A French line steamer, the Lafayette, on route for Havana, was captured by a U. S. gunboat the other day, but was soon released. The vessel had permission from Uncle Sam to make this trip, but Sampson had not been notified in time. There will be no trouble about it.

The United States war ships approached nearer Havana the other day than ever and were fired on from the fort without any damage.

The government has purchased from one Kansas packing house 2,500,000 pounds of meat to be delivered to the commissary department of the U. S. within ten days.

SUNDAY.
The cable which has been cut for about a week has been repaired and encouraging news received from Dewey, telling of a glorious victory which he had in his fight with the enemy at Manila. He killed and wounded in his battle on May the first more than one thousand Spaniards without the loss of a single man. He is master of the situation and holds the bay and that he can easily take the city of Manila at any time. Dewey has plenty of coal and provisions but expresses a desire for troops. Every vessel of the Spanish fleet was destroyed in the engagement. About 2,000 officers and men composed the complement of the enemy's ships. The Spanish gunners displayed a woeful lack of practice.

Another fight occurred at Mantanzas on the 6th in which our fleet demolished their batteries.

A supposed spy was arrested in Washington City on the 6th. In the prisoners room were found a secret Code book and documents of an incriminating nature.

England will not intervene and is willing for the United States to hold the Philippines.

The government will at once send 5,000 soldiers to Dewey.

Five thousand soldiers will embark for the Philippines, at San Francisco, during the week.

First detachment of Georgia Volunteers left Atlanta for Griffin to go in camp last Saturday.

MONDAY.
On the 7th the Vicksburg and Morrill were drawn into a snare by the Spaniards at Havana. They sent a small schooner out from Havana harbor shortly before daylight to draw some of the Americans into ambush. Our two vessels chased them toward the harbor and were fired at a number of times and would have been sunk had the Spaniards not been poor marksmen.

Sixteen Spanish prisoners are now in prison at McPherson.

The first detachment of hospital stewards arrived at McPherson today.

TUESDAY.
Cuban invasion commenced yesterday. Steamer started over with 7,000 Springfield rifles and 200,000 rounds of ammunition and supplies furnished by the United States. A company of 100 United States troops will accompany the expedition and aid in guarding the landing of the valuable cargo on the coast of Cuba. Before a week is past it is believed that the insurgent leaders will have been furnished with arms enough for at least 15,000 men with base of supplies established on the coast.

People in Spain are starving. Warehouses are filled to the ceiling with goods not for sale and people are wholly helpless.

Georgians are ordered to Tampa, Fla. One regiment has been ordered at once.

WEDNESDAY.
Spain's loss in ships alone at Manila was \$4,700,000.

Admiral Montojo, commander of the destroyed fleet was murdered by Manila people to gether with his two sons. The hospital was set on fire by shells and insurgents are said to have butchered Spanish women and children. Sisters of Charity die while trying to save wounded seamen.

It is stated at Washington that the navy department expects no news from Sampson within several days, and that no apprehension is felt as to the safety of the fleet.

Lieut. Rowan, who went to Cuba to confer with insurgent leaders, is at Nassau, having accomplished the object of his mission.

The president sent a message to congress concerning Dewey's victory and asking that he be authorized to appoint him a rear admiral.

An expedition left Tampa last night for Cuba. A large cargo of arms, ammunition and supplies were carried on the steamer Guesie, accompanied by 100 regulars.

Troops are to be put in shape at once and will be sent to Cuba from Mobile, Tampa, New Orleans and Galveston.

An aggressive and immediate action has been decided upon and forces are to be landed in Cuba as fast as organized.

Five thousand soldiers and supplies for Dewey will be rushed to Manila this week.

The Spaniards at Manila are defiant and will not surrender until the city is blown to pieces.

Riots continue in Spain and further trouble is feared.

A Madrid dispatch says suspicious looking vessels have been seen off Porto Rico.

THURSDAY.

Two hundred car loads of soldiers, horses and supplies passed through Atlanta last night.

The sea is being searched for the Spanish fleet which Sampson was expecting to tackle but no where can it be found and there is no war news of special interest to day.

Mr. Marsland, who has been in White county for some time engaged in mining, left last Saturday on route to New York from whence he sailed for his home in Manchester, England. He made friends in White who welcome him back should he be disposed to return.

"BEFORE BABY IS BORN."

A Valuable Little Book of Interest to All Women Sent Free.

Every woman looks forward with feelings of indescribable joy to the one momentous event of her life, compared with which all others pale into insignificance. How joyful and happy she will be when her previous babe nestles on her breast—how sweet the name of "Mother" and yet her happy anticipation of this event is shadowed with misgivings of the pain and danger of the ordeal, and she is anxious to avoid the feeling of pain and danger which every woman who has borne a child knows so well. Every woman who is unable and attractive little book, entitled "Before Baby is Born," will find here the most reliable and complete information on this subject. It contains the latest and most reliable information on this subject, and is a most valuable book for every woman to have. It is sent free to all who send for it.

Mossy Creek Commencement closed on the night of the 10th. Rev. Mr. Culley presided and the commencement sermon, which was highly complimented by those who heard it.

The populists of White county will meet at Cleveland July 25th on which time candidates will be named for the legislature and county offices, and in all probability some senatorial timber will be mentioned.

A NEW TRIUMPH.

The Dreaded Consumption Can Be Cured.

T. A. Slocum, the Great Chemist and Scientist, will Show to Sufferers, Three Factors of His Newly Discovered Remedies to Cure Consumption and All Lung Troubles.

Nothing could be fairer, more philanthropic or carry more joy to the afflicted, than the generous offer of the honored and distinguished chemist, T. A. Slocum, M. C., of New York City.

He has discovered a reliable and absolute cure for consumption, and all bronchial, throat, lung and chest disease, catarrhal affections, general decline and weakness, loss of flesh and to make his great merit known, will send three free bottles of his newly discovered remedies to any afflicted reader of the NUGGET.

Already his "new scientific system of medicine" has permanently cured thousands of apparently hopeless cases.

The Doctor considers it not only his professional, but his religious duty—a duty to which he owes to suffering humanity—to donate his infallible cure.

He has proved the "dreaded consumption" to be a curable disease beyond a doubt, in any climate, and has on file in his American and European laboratories thousands of "heartfelt testimonials of gratitude" from those benefited and cured, in all parts of the world.

Catarrhal and pulmonary troubles lead to consumption, and consumption, uninterrupted, means speedy and certain death. Don't delay until it is too late. Simply write T. A. Slocum, M. C., 98 Pine street, New York, giving express and postoffice address, and the free medicine will be promptly sent. Please tell the Doctor you saw his offer in the NUGGET. Jan. 28.

HACK LINE.

HAVING recently purchased the entire daily hack line from Dahlonega to Gainesville enables me to be more prompt in carrying express packages and passengers than heretofore on fast time at same old prices. None but safe and sober drivers will be put in charge of the mail and passengers. Prompt attention given to all business entrusted to my care.

may 13 JOHN HATFIELD.

LUMPKIN SHERIFF'S SALES.

Georgia, Lumpkin County.

Will be sold before the court house door in Dahlonega, Lumpkin county, Ga., on the first Tuesday in June, 1898, within the legal hours of sale, to the highest bidder for cash, the following property, to wit:

The mineral interest in land lots numbers four hundred and thirty-four (434) and four hundred and thirty-five (435) in the Fifteenth District and 1st section of Lumpkin county, Georgia. Said lots containing in each forty acres more or less. Said property levied on as the property of Eugene Mayne to satisfy an execution issued from the Superior Court of said county in favor of J. W. H. Underwood against said Eugene Mayne.

Also at the same time and place and upon the same terms I will sell town lots and tenements thereon in the town of Dahlonega, Lumpkin county, Georgia, being lots numbers ninety-six (96) and ninety-seven (97) in the plan of said town, containing one-fourth of an acre more or less, on which is located the hotel building known as the Besser House, and also town lots in the plan of said town, state and county aforesaid, being lots numbers one hundred and eleven (111) and one hundred and fifteen (115) containing one-fourth of an acre more or less, on which is located a small building house. Said lots and tenements being connected with said Besser House and used as garden for same. Levied on by virtue of a mortgage executed from said Eugene Mayne to said J. W. H. Underwood in favor of B. T. Gurley against Charles A. Besser. Tenant in possession given notice of levy by Sheriff of said county.

Also at the same time and place and upon the same terms I will sell five acres more or less of land in the 6th district and first section of said county of Lumpkin, being the place whereon is located the dwelling house, store house, barn and other improvements of the defendant H. Satterfield and being the place whereon he formerly resided but now occupied by Lewis Cochran. Levied on by virtue of a mortgage executed from the Superior Court of said county of Lumpkin in favor of J. J. & J. E. Mullins against H. Satterfield. Written notice of levy given tenant in possession.

J. M. BROOKSHIRE, Sheriff.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR THE LEGISLATURE.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. V. Harrison as a candidate to represent Lumpkin county in the House of the next legislature.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate to represent Lumpkin county in the next legislature of this state and will appreciate the votes of my friends and if elected will do all I can for the county's best interests.

I am respectfully,
F. M. WILLIAMS.

FOR CLERK.

I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for clerk of the superior court of Lumpkin county and ask the support of all voters regardless of their race or politics and promise if elected to serve them to the best of my ability.

G. C. WALLACE.

FOR TAX RECEIVER.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. A. Anderson for tax receiver of Lumpkin county at the ensuing election in October.

FOR SHERIFF.

To the voters of Lumpkin: I announce myself as a candidate for Sheriff of Lumpkin county and respectfully ask the voters to give me their support. If elected I will faithfully perform the duties of such office to the best of my ability.

Respectfully,
J. M. DAVIS.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

To the voters of Lumpkin county: I take this method of announcing my candidacy for re-election to the office of county treasurer and hope to receive a hearty support from you. Thanking you for past favors and hoping for a continuation of the same, I am yours respectfully,
E. F. JACKSON.

FOR TAX COLLECTOR.

To the voters of Lumpkin County. I announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of tax collector. Thanking you for past favors and hoping my efforts to serve you of the past year will meet your approval, and if so I feel sure I will have your support in the coming election.

Yours Truly,
J. P. SARGENT.

We are requested to announce the name of George W. Walker, Jr., as a candidate for tax collector of Lumpkin county who promises to discharge the duties of such office to the best of his ability and to the satisfaction of all if elected.

TAX RECEIVER'S SECOND ROUND.

I will be at Aurora, April 25th 10 a. m., Martin's Ford 26th, 10 a. m., Wash 27th, 10 a. m., Shosh Creek 28th, 10 a. m., Crumley's 29th, 10 a. m., Porter Springs 3 p. m., Frog Town 30th 4 p. m., Chestate May 21, 9 a. m., Yalioola 31, 10 a. m., Crane Creek 4th, 10 a. m., Hightower 5th, 10 a. m., Davis 6th, 10 a. m., Jimblewell 7th, 10 a. m., Mill Creek 9th, 10th a. m., Jones' Creek 10th, 10 a. m., Dahlonega 12th and 13th.

M. M. GRIZZLE, T. R.

WALL PAPER.

Do you expect to do any papering? We will send you free a large selection of samples from 3c. per roll up all new colorings and novelties up to date. We have a large stock of wall paper in every town to sell on commission from large sample books. No capital required. For samples or particulars address
Feb 23 3m 747-753 Ninth Ave., N. Y. City.

G. H. McGuire, JEWELER.

Dahlonega, Ga.

Having permanently located in Dahlonega I am now ready to do all kinds of work in my line at prices to suit the times. Bring along your clocks, watches and sewing machines. All work guaranteed for twelve months. Shop next door to A. F. Norton's old stand.
G. H. MCGUIRE,
April 23 '98

An Uncertain Disease.

There is no disease more uncertain in its nature than dyspepsia. Physicians say that the symptoms of no two cases agree. It is therefore most difficult to make a correct diagnosis. No matter how severe, or under what disguised dyspepsia attacks you, Brown's Iron Bitters will cure it. Available in all diseases of the stomach, blood and nerves. Brown's Iron Bitters is sold by all dealers.

Don't Neglect Your Liver.

Liver troubles quickly result in serious complications, and the man who neglects his liver has little regard for health. A bottle of Brown's Iron Bitters taken now and then will keep the liver in perfect order. If the disease has developed, Brown's Iron Bitters will cure it permanently. Strength and vitality will always follow its use. Brown's Iron Bitters is sold by all dealers.



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THE NUGGET.

DAYLONEGA, GA., MAY 13, 1898.

Our already large circulation is still increasing.

John Jenkins is off on a trip down below Atlanta.

Mr. Joe Murray spent a day or two in the city this week.

The price of corn in Dahlonega has declined within the past day or two.

John Findley made a shipment of cats to Gainesville last Wednesday.

Prof. Stewart, after an absence of several days below lecturing, returned home last Tuesday.

John Bowers, who was mentioned last week as being charged with embezzlement, has made bond.

There has been an increase in the family down at Col. Huff's this week. The Colonel would have named it Dewey had it been a boy.

If you see anything in the Nugget that doesn't suit you and you do not wish to continue reading it there is another paper published in Dahlonega.

You can get the Nugget, the Atlanta Weekly Constitution and either a valuable book or paper as a premium all for \$1.75 for a whole year.

We are glad to state that Robt. Howell and Wm. Owens, who have been quite sick are improving. George Marlow is also able to be out again.

Quite a number of the students picniced at Porter Springs last Saturday. It was very cool for the business but all enjoyed themselves and long to see another day of such pleasure.

Last week you could get sixteen pounds of sugar in Dahlonega for a dollar and now you can only procure fourteen for the same amount of money. Cause—it has gone up in market \$1.25 on the ton.

Turkey Bill Postell is now on a visit to North Carolina. He says that he will decide in a few days whether he will make the race for the legislature. If he does he says that he will "pronounce" and put his picture in the paper.

Uncle Dick Wholehel has the only Italian bees in the county and they swarm so fast that he wears a false face nearly all the time on the day and even forgot to pull it off the other night until he got ready to go to morning.

The price of blank paper and everything else is advancing since the declaration of war. If you want the news cheap you had better send in for a supply of NUGGETS for the price on it advances. The present war will not benefit the poor man but will make the rich richer.

Wm. Waters, who was in from Nimbleshill last Tuesday said that he couldn't get along without the NUGGET. After reading it thoroughly he rolls it up and ties it to a limb in the field which keeps the crows from destroying the corn. Other farmers who are not already subscribers to the NUGGET should send in and get a supply of these papers before they are exhausted.

Last Sunday one week ago a young man residing in Chestatee district agreed to escort a young lady of the neighborhood to Anti oeb church in White county if she would furnish the mule and buggy. They fit into the vehicle and he carried a line in each hand and all went well until they reached the church. The young man had always been used to driving an ox team and knew nothing about hitching a horse or mule. The lady sat in the buggy while he tried to take the mule out. He would unbuckle a strap, catch the animal by the bridle and give a pull, but when the mule moved the buggy did too. After working for sometime he failed to get the mule out and had to give a fellow ten cents to unhitch for him.

Remember that we cannot publish obituaries without some compensation.

Clerk John H. Moore and lady spent a day or so in Dawson county this week.

W. P. Price, Jr., and lady went down to Atlanta last Wednesday to spend a few days.

Next Sunday is Yellow Creek's big meeting day and many will attend from Dahlonega.

The Board of Dahlonega public schools met last Monday and elected Capt. Hall chairman and Col. Charters secretary.

Alfred Walker dropped a piece of casting on his foot the other day which caused him to have to have one of his large toes amputated.

See Sheriffs and Commissioners sales elsewhere. Any one wishing to buy the old Besser House can now have the opportunity of doing so.

Mrs. Henry Walker died a few days ago in the neighborhood of Jay leaving eight small children without a single relative to look after them.

Rev. V. A. Higgins was in town last Monday. He didn't come out to electioneer this time but to sell a couple of hundred bushels of corn. He will talk to you about politics, he says, later on.

David Parks, father of the pastor of the Baptist church here, was in Dahlonega this week for the purpose of selling some corn. David resided in Lumpkin thirty years ago. He met several old citizens who he still recognized and was glad to see once more.

A protracted meeting is now in progress at the Baptist church which has been going on since last Sunday. We hope that much good will grow out of this meeting. The pastor, Mr. Parks, is an able worker in the cause of religion and is doing all he can to save souls.

Ethelmine Stargel, who resided in Crumby's district, died suddenly last Sunday. We understand that he had plowed all day on Friday before he became ill that night. He had been teaching school at the Long Tubes and his many pupils and friends regret to learn of his sad demise.

Last Saturday morning Mrs. Albert Wholehel, of Dahlonega, received the sad intelligence of her mother's death which occurred in Dawson county the evening before. Mrs. Bruce was a highly respected citizen and liked by all who knew her. She had been a member of the church for many years.

Mrs. Tillson has been getting ready to leave Dahlonega this week for the purpose of joining her husband who is at Cleveland, Ohio, getting up recruits for the war. If the war continues long they will not be apt to return, but if it should end shortly Capt. Tillson and his lady will return to Dahlonega in a few months.

Some of our citizens are wanting an ice factory nearer Dahlonega so as to keep from hauling all the ice they use from Gainesville, a distance of 25 miles. We understand that Capt. Hall will put up one at the Chestatee mine provided the citizens will agree to take enough to justify him in investing his money in the enterprise.

Our market is now being supplied with meat from White, and Fulton counties. While meat sells in these other counties at 55 and 60 cents per bushel it retails at 80 cents in Dahlonega. There is yet a good deal of corn in Lumpkin county among men who do not still it up into whiskey, but they want still more for it.

The other day as two young men were returning from the mountains they had on sufficient steam to cause them to overturn the buggy in rounding a corner and exposing a couple of contents of which had caused the accident. They had the buggy turned up and the jugs replaced with right side up before care before you could say sent.

If you wish to take a ride on the Southern Railroad always look at the schedule in the NUGGET and it will tell you what time to get ready to go.

Parties in the lower end of the county who were in town last Saturday attending the veterans meeting, informed us that the prospect for a good wheat crop all down on the river was never better.

W. M. Grindle, of Willow, who has been going to Hvassee school, returned last week and paid us a pleasant as well as a beneficial visit on Friday. Mr. Grindle will resume his teaching in this county.

John Hatfield has bought out Clyde Meaders and owns the entire daily mail line from Dahlonega to Gainesville and is ready to carry passengers through quickly and safely and at reasonable rates. See his ad.

A post office has been established at Jim Tate's store in Chestatee district, called Gates with Mr. Tate as post master. The first mail was received at this new office last week. This opens up a way on into White and will supply mail all along the line without its having to go down to Gainesville and up the railroad to Belton and then across the country before it gets a week old.

We understand that the tax receiver says that there is a considerable fall off in the taxable property in the stock law districts of Lumpkin county. By examining the school census published last week you will observe that there is a decrease in the number of children in all these stock law districts except one which shows that the people are moving off. We told you about all this in due time. Many have long since regretted the way they voted but it is too late to talk about it now.

There is certainly something needed in Lumpkin county to wake up the people and cause them to take more interest in the public schools and induce them to send their children to school and get the benefit of the state fund appropriated for this purpose. Look at Anwar district with 310 children none of them going to school this year. Not a single school has been taught in that district since 1897. The interest is not only lagging in this district but in various other sections of Lumpkin county.

We notice that it is stated that the Rev. Mr. Cooper said recently "that more lies had been published on preachers in the Dahlonega newspapers than in any other town in the state," or words to this effect. We didn't know that we were lying when we said three weeks ago in the NUGGET that "both pastors of the Dahlonega churches now are good men, for their actions have shown since they have been in our midst." So if Mr. Cooper thinks that we have lied about him we are ready to take it back.

Ordinary Tate's visit to White county last week was the means of Mrs. Tessie Owens' fine being reduced from \$100 and costs to \$50 which enabled her to gain her freedom. Her husband was very low and there was no one that could care for her four little children like ma. They were solely at the mercy of the world but were not neglected as a person was hired to look after them until their mother was released. Many of our citizens after taking these things into consideration assisted her in paying out. Notwithstanding Mrs. Owens and her husband had been separated for several months as soon as she was released she went to her husband's house and commenced waiting on him. We understand that Mrs. Owens says that she is not going to sell any more liquor but intends to have her money from those she sold it too on a credit. The woman had many friends while she was engaged in the business but when she got into trouble their friendship was no more. Even the person who had been supplying her left town as soon as sentence was passed on her and has not been back since.

Miss Eliza, daughter of Lewis Keith, died near New Bridge last Saturday.

All the mining operations are moving along as usual, owners all making gold we suppose. If not they would not continue work.

Jake Loggins, who went away some time ago down into DeKalb county to do some prospecting for gold, writes back that he has found several gold bearing veins and the mining outlook down there is very promising.

The Yahoola mail has been changed and now arrives, and departs on Friday instead of Saturday. Uncle Bill Reid carries it on an ox wagon. Doubtless this is the only mail in the union that is carried by horned horses. They are slow but sure.

Sheriff Brooker and Judge Tate were out of town Sunday. Mr. Tate went up to Macedonia church and Mr. Brooker went out to his father-in-law, one of the best farmers in Lumpkin county who causes every body to feel that they are at home that visit him. We are going out one of these days to get a good square meal.

Frank Hunt, after spending several days in Dahlonega, left for his home in Gainesville last Sunday. Frank went to school here eighteen months and when he pays us a visit he stays as long as he can—he likes our people and the people like him. While here he had a large and beautiful monument erected at the grave of A. G. Wimpy the workmanship and beauty of which cannot be excelled any where for the money.

Hix's cold wave struck Dahlonega last Friday and it was not long until every one had to don his over coat in order to be at all comfortable. A heavy gale blew from the north at a rapid rate which continued for three days. It began to moderate Sunday and we are now having warm weather and our merchants have no fear of having to carry over their spring suits and straw hats, while the ice cream dealer smiles pleasantly as he takes in the odd nickles.

There seems to be a good deal of trouble in collecting the dog tax in Dahlonega and always has and always will be under the present ordinance. Under the present law the marshal may be put to a good deal of trouble to catch a dog but he gets nothing for it and the owner doesn't even have to pay any thing extra to get his dog—only the tax. If a person had to pay some cost, as in all other cases, before he got his dog there would be less trouble in collecting the tax. Then people would be more prompt in paying them.

We had the pleasure of meeting Mr. C. T. Palmour, who was up a few days last week from Gainesville seeing if any one was expecting to die soon who wished to take a policy in the life insurance company which he represents. The gentleman found the business pretty dull as another agent had just left here after a visit of about two months who compelled many to either insure or be talked to death. They preferred the former as they were not promised any thing if killed by conversation or in war. Mr. Palmour is a brother of Prof. Oscar Palmour and is just as clever.

Next Sunday is meeting day at Yahoola. A large number of people generally attend there every Sunday when big May meetings are held and much drinking and bad conduct is carried on which is wrong but generally those who should see that all such violations of law are presented to the grand jury generally close their eyes and know nothing when court convenes. They will always have trouble as long as they do this. And as for members of the grand jury attending to it they will hardly ever do so unless they are mad at some of the parties, which shows that the grand jury system is a dead expense and a farce and should be done away with.

College News.

Last Saturday while speaking on a debate in the Phi Mu Hall Col. W. S. Huff came near creating a stir by saying, "No one who is any account will teach school for fifteen dollars per month." Some who had been teaching for that amount were present and tackled the Colonel at once.

Sixteen cadets have been selected for a silent drill as a part of the commencement exercises.

Prof. Gaillard acted as president of the college during the nine days absence of Prof. Stewart. Happy is that institution which can call Prof. Gaillard chief.

Target practice is finished. Mr. A. Byers of Hall county will receive the gold medal and Mr. L. N. Shaban of Walker will receive the silver medal.

Saturday night the Decoras public debate took place. Capt. J. L. Bell was president and Paul Castleberry secretary. Prof. B. P. Gaillard occupied the judge's chair. The salutatory address was delivered by Mr. J. W. West. Then the subject, "Resolved, That Massachusetts has done more for the Union than Virginia" was debated on the affirmative by J. R. Allen and Utah Anderson and on the negative by Paul Sosebee and A. W. Cain. The judge rendered his decision in favor of the negative.

The senior class this year has been required to work two weeks longer than previous senior classes. This is hard on the members as they will be compelled to lose sleep in order to make the necessary preparations for commencement. There are only two members in the class—Capt. J. L. Bell and Miss Mattie Rogers. They have been faithful students of the college for four years and have reflected honor upon its name. Their work as students here is almost done and the records they leave behind are worthy of praise. The institution should feel proud that it is able to give to the world men and women so well fitted for the duties of life.

C. M. Moore commenced this week to make a lot of brick.

Judge Kimsey will be here tomorrow to attend to some official business.

We regret to learn that Mrs. T. F. Jackson is sick. Hope that she will recover soon.

The following is a receipt to make times better: Quit going a fishing on Monday.

One thing that proves that nearly every body are busy at work, is the decrease in the membership of the "sons of rest" which holds forth in front of the court house.

In our Cleveland letter last week we made the type say that it was Rev. A. F. Norton that preached up there when it should have been Rev. A. F. Nunn, pastor of the Cleveland church.

Since the dormitory has been commenced the committee has decided that the cook can't get along very well without a dining room and kitchen and are now receiving bids for the same.

Both mail contractors on the Gainesville lines were fined last quarter. The one on the upper route was fined \$20 and the lower one \$25 for not coming up to schedule time. They will be more prompt in the future.

Mr. C. Will Fisher, the well known photographer from Demorest, is in Dahlonega again located on main street just below the store of Moore & McGuire where he will be glad to meet all needing any work done in his line. Call at once as he will only be here a short time.

The ladies memorial association with the members of the Corona Hederac literary society will give an entertainment at the Court House on Friday evening May 20th, at 7:30 o'clock. The proceeds to be divided equally between the two societies. A full program will appear next week.

The Dahlonega and Gainesville Telephone Line.

Some days ago the committee, which was recently appointed at a meeting of the citizens of Dahlonega to ascertain the cost of having Col. H. P. Farrow to build his line to Porter Springs via, Dahlonega, corresponded with the Colonel in reference to the matter, and the following is his reply to Capt. H. D. Ingersoll, chairman of the committee:

GAINESVILLE, GA., May 8, '98.

DEAR INGERSOLL:

A trip of three days to Atlanta and a consequent accumulation of business delayed my answering yours earlier. I am not prepared to speak adversely as to the conditions under which I would run my line by Dahlonega. In fact it is to be purely an individual matter—so owned and conducted—if it would labor under disadvantages not encountered by a line owned and conducted by six or eight citizens—or more. I hope we can interest the leading men of Dahlonega, all of them, in it. Otherwise we must get a charter of exclusive privileges. Let me or any other one person, put up one and it might not be five years till there would be another line put up to compete with it, and by local influences supercede. Yes, drive it out.

Such a disaster must be securely provided against either by a charter duly obtained or by a co-operative effort on the part of those able to control such movements.

Dahlonega will feel the effects of being left behind if she does not connect with the electric world, Where are you all to-day? After the mail left here yesterday news came of the official report from Admiral Dewey 10,000 miles away of his achievements a week ago today and you of Dahlonega are not to know of it till tomorrow evening. Eleven of the Spanish war ships were sunk with great loss of life and not a ship and not even a man lost on our side! The most brilliant naval victory the world ever knew and while all the world was made acquainted with the details yesterday by electric lines you of Dahlonega, only twenty-five miles distant, are not to know it until tomorrow evening! Are you willing to remain cut off from the world? The people of Dahlonega may not see what will be the effect on your college and your town but I can see what will be the effect upon Porter Springs and hence my anxiety for a phone. In future people will stop where the phone stops.

Please get your committee together and see what can be done on the line above indicated. At our conference court week some question was asked as to what guarantee I would give that the line would be kept up? And my answer was that there would be no trouble in giving that guarantee but the question most important was "who will guarantee that there would be but one line?" Push the thing forward for time is passing. If your committee wish to confer with me at any time let me know and I'll come up.

Yours respectfully,
HENRY P. FARROW.

Col. Price was able to ride up to the college yesterday.

Uncle Fed Boatfield, after being confined to his room for some time, is able to be out on the streets again.

Capt. Edwin Steiner, leader of the U. S. Band in Atlanta, who has just returned from Tampa, writes that he will be pleased to furnish music for the college commencement exercises again this year. In his letter to Col. Price he says that the war will soon end.

Miss Laura Stover, of Dahlonega, and Thomas Williams, formerly of Lumpkin but now of Monroe county, N. C., were wedded yesterday at 10 o'clock, Esquire Worley performing the ceremony. They leave to-day for North Carolina. We wish the happy couple much joy in their declining years.

DUTY OF FARMERS IN THE PRESENT CRISIS

Heavy Provision Crop Should Be Planted.

WAR AND COTTON PRICES

Commissioner Nesbitt Points Out That There Will Be a Big Demand For Breadstuffs, Etc., While the Fleecy Staple Is Likely to Tumble.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, ATLANTA, May 1, 1898.

OUR DUTY IN THE PRESENT CRISIS.

Now that war with Spain has been definitely decided on, the gravity of the situation demands that we, as farmers, give ourselves to a careful study of its bearings on our agricultural interests, both individual and collective. The opinion among competent army and navy experts seems to be gaining ground that the campaign, after hostilities actually begin, will be neither short, easy, and it may drag along for months. Under these apprehensions what is our plain duty? What do we owe to ourselves, our families, our country? While our army and navy on land and sea are enforcing a recognition of the great principles of human independence, what are we farmers to do? How can we help in the struggle that is to set Cuba free? We are to supply not only the home demands for provisions, but we are to supply the "sinews of war" to our armies in the field by a bountiful food crop. Besides the usual home demand there will be a heavy demand for breadstuffs and provisions to feed our armies. Should peace be declared without hostilities the demand will be heavy. There will be thousands of homeless, helpless people in Cuba to be fed. Thus in either event, war or peace, all surplus supplies will find a ready and a profitable market. Therefore, if we have not already done so, we should put in an unusually heavy provision crop, even if we have to appropriate for this purpose some of the acres intended for, or already planted in cotton.

EFFECT OF THE WAR ON COTTON.

When a farmer sets himself for a hand to hand struggle with an overwhelming cotton crop, he necessarily consigns the provision crop—the bread and meat supply—to the domain of chance. Under present conditions every consideration of self interest, every prompting of patriotic appeals against such a course. The generally accepted idea of war, agriculturally speaking, is cheap cotton and high provisions. A war with Spain would almost paralyze our cotton trade, while the price of provisions would advance. In view of these facts, what will be the fate of the man who produces a large cotton crop, for which he will get a low price, and who depends on buying the whole or even part of needed provisions for which he will pay a high price? It is scarcely necessary to say, and while he has injured himself, he has also, to a certain degree, injured his state and country, both of which are now looking to him to do his duty in the struggle which is upon us. I know that some farmers may argue that as the general crop may be much reduced, now is the time to take the cotton and put every available acre in cotton, but there was never a grain of mistake. If ever there was a year to increase the food crops and decrease the cotton, this is the year, for the reasons already given.

THE FLOOD IN THE MISSISSIPPI

also furnishes another argument with some farmers for planting a large cotton crop in Georgia. They reason that it will be so late when the cotton crops in the fertile Mississippi valley are planted, that the yield will be very much cut off. But they forget that in the year just past, there was an almost unprecedented flood in the valley and that the crop of '97 was delayed almost later than was ever known before, certainly much later than the present flood can possibly do. Losses were swept away, property was destroyed and the making of a cotton crop in that section seemed an almost hopeless undertaking. Georgians and farmers in other states presumed on this and put in a big crop, but the valley planters were also lucky. Several weeks later than the present date they too put in a big crop, and the consequence was the largest general cotton crop on record and ruinously low prices. At present

THE PRICE OF COTTON IS ADVANCING and this also may allure the unwary farmer into the error of overcropping himself. I have always maintained that the true policy is to provide bountifully for every need of the farm, and then to put in just as much cotton as can be well managed. And that rule will hold good. The man who does this is safe in any event, be the price of cotton high or low, because he is not compelled to sell himself to the provision dealer or merchant for bread and meat. He is also in a position to exercise his judgment in the disposal of his cotton—to sell or to hold, as circumstances suggest. When every farmer thus independent the control of the cotton market would be virtually where it belongs—that is in the hands of the producers—rather than of the men who discover "futures." It has been well said, and it has come to be a fact, that not supply and demand for spot cotton affect the price, but supply and demand for "futures" establish the price, and this "future" market is controlled by professional operators and manipulators, which could not be possible for each individual farmer. He is able to sell or hold his cotton at will. As things now stand these operators are the cause of the entire cotton crop being on

the market within a certain period, that they actually sell the results of the farmers' labor in 12 months in advance. And so far, the farmers have quietly submitted. Why? Because their shortsighted policy has rendered them powerless to resist. Ninety-nine one hundredths of our farmers are compelled to sell their cotton on the markets early in the season and the speculators thus become masters of the situation. Full arms and full storehouses in the south would, independence to southern farmers, because their cotton crop is thus released from bondage and they can exercise their judgment as to when and how to sell it.

R. T. NESBITT, Commissioner.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

Condensed Schedule of Passenger Trains. In Effect May 1st, 1898.

Northbound.	No. 11	No. 24	No. 19	No. 21
Ar. Atlanta, C. T.	7:00 a.	12:00 m.	4:35 p.	11:00 p.
Ar. Norcross	7:00 a.	12:00 m.	4:35 p.	11:00 p.
Ar. Gainesville	7:00 a.	12:00 m.	4:35 p.	11:00 p.
Ar. Corvallis	7:00 a.	12:00 m.	4:35 p.	11:00 p.
Ar. Toccoa	7:00 a.	12:00 m.	4:35 p.	11:00 p.
Ar. West Point	7:00 a.	12:00 m.	4:35 p.	11:00 p.
Ar. Macon	7:00 a.	12:00 m.	4:35 p.	11:00 p.
Ar. Savannah	7:00 a.	12:00 m.	4:35 p.	11:00 p.
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A STRANGE CASE.

How an Enemy was Foiled.

The following graphic statement will be read with intense interest: "I cannot describe the numb, creepy sensation that existed in my arms, hands and legs. I had to rub and bend those parts until they were sore to overcome in a measure the dead feeling that had taken possession of them. In addition, I had a strange weakness in my back and around my waist, together with an indescribable zone feeling in my stomach. Physicians said it was creeping paralysis, from which, according to their universal conclusion, there is no relief. Once it fastens upon a person, they say, it continues its insidious progress until it reaches a vital point and the sufferer dies. Such was my prospect. I had been doctoring years and I had steadily, but with particular benefit, when I saw an advertisement of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine, procured a bottle and began using it. Marvelous as it may seem, but a few days had passed before every bit of that creepy feeling had left me, and there had not been even the slightest indication of its return. I now feel as well as I ever did, and have gained ten pounds in weight, though I had run down as well as I did. Four others have used Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine on my recommendation, and it has been as satisfactory in each case as in mine."—James Kane, La Rue, O. Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine is sold by all druggists on a positive guarantee, or sent direct by Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind., on receipt of price, \$1 per bottle, six bottles for \$5, express prepaid. It is free from opiates or dangerous drugs.

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GEORGIA—Lumpkin County:
By virtue of an order from the Superior
Court of said county granted on the April
term 1898 in the case of Margaret F. Mur-
phy vs. Mary Murphy, Merchant and Her-
bert Joseph Murphy, the same being for the
partition by sale of the property hereinafter
described, the undersigned Commissioners
appointed by said court and being by said
Court so directed to do so on the first
Tuesday in June 1898 at the court house
door in said county, within the legal hours
of sale at public outcry to the highest bidder
for cash, sell the following property to-wit:
A certain house in Dahlonoga, Ga., the lot
being one hundred feet square and being a part
of land No. 349 in the 12th section and let
section of Lumpkin county, Georgia, which
was conveyed to Wm. S. Roberts as Presi-
dent of the Augusta and Dahlonoga Gold
Mining Company on the 14th day of May
1881 to the children of said Wm. S. Roberts,
Mary Murphy, being recorded in Book "C", page 34
and said property more particularly described
herein. Said sale to be made for the purpose
of making division of the proceeds
between the said plaintiff and de-
fendants who are tenants in common, each
owning a one undivided third interest in
said property. May 19, 1898.

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Mr. Tate Visits Dahlonoga.

Hon. F. C. Tate arrived in Dah-
lonoga last Friday awhile before
noon and departed Sunday morn-
ing. He came in elegantly equip-
ped, while he was here and
went out the same way. We
must confess that he is the best
electioneer we have seen since
Gen. Harrison W. Riley died. He
shakes hands with the men, boys
and girls and kisses the babies, and
keeps on the move all the time
fixing up his political speech. He
made quite a lengthy speech on
Saturday afternoon, told what he
had done in Congress and gave his
opponent a few jolts before closing
his remarks, receiving very close
attention of all present. A short
time ago we were of the opinion
that Col. Thompson would carry
this county by a large majority,
but Mr. Tate on this trip made
such changes that he may receive
the delegation himself. We give
this as our honest opinion and we
are not tied to either one, only
state what we believe to be facts.
Both are clever men and either one
selected by the people will suit us.

Why We Will Succeed.

The News and Observer gives
the following comparative reasons
why we will succeed in the war
with Spain:

The United States has 70,000,000
inhabitants.

The United States has no insur-
gents anywhere, its people all be-
ing knit together by a common in-
terest.

The United States has no civil
commotion.

The 4 per cent bonds of the
United States sell on the market
at from 117 1-2 to 119 and there is
strong demand for them.

The United States has a power-
ful navy manned by men flushed
by victory at Manila.

The United States is fighting for
nothing but humanity and redress
of a blow inflicted by which its
sailors were treacherously murder-
ed.

Spain has 17,000,000 inhabitants.
Spain's possessions are honey-
combed with revolution and hos-
tility of government.

Spain is rent and torn is fac-
tions.

Spain's 4 per cent bonds bring
32 1-2 cents on the dollar and are
constantly depreciating in value.

Spain has an inferior navy, its
officers dispirited at defeat and
conscious that they can not win.

Spain is fighting to hold on to
an island in which its sovereignty
for all good purposes is extinct.

A SECRET.

If all the ladies knew the simple
secret that a bad complexion is due
to a disordered liver, there would be
fewer sallow complexions and
bloody skins. This important organ
must be kept active and healthy to
insure a clear and rosy color. Dr.
J. H. McLean's Liver and Kidney
Balm as a beautifier beats all the
creams and lotions in existence, and
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there were 350,347 people of Span-
ish birth in the United States.

There are 90,000 criminals be-
hind the bars in this country who
are under thirty years of age.

A Wonderful Discovery.
The last quarter of a century records
many wonderful discoveries in medicine,
but none that have accomplished more
for humanity than that sterling old household
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Mr. Berner Speaks in Dah-
lonoga.

Last Friday the court house was
crowded with students, ladies and
voters to hear the speech of Hon.
R. L. Berner, candidate for Gov-
ernor of Georgia. The speaker
talked to the people exactly two
hours and a half and a more able
speech was never delivered in the
court house at Dahlonoga. Every
one present listened to his remarks
with much interest. He handled
his opponents—especially Col.
Candler—with gloves off but did it
in a gentlemanly manner without
throwing the least bit of mud, and
even those who oppose him can't
help but confess that he would
make a good Governor. Mr. Bern-
er's appearance in Dahlonoga
caused him to gain many votes,
but they will come off of Judge
Atkinson mostly, which will make
such a division as to give Lumpkin
county Candler delegates, in our
opinion, which will be the means of
his success in the end as it is to
Col. Candler's interest for both of
his opponents to remain in the
race.

Tate and Thompson Meet at
Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, GA., May 12.

At 11 o'clock, a. m., notwith-
standing the busy season with farm-
ers, more than one hundred of
White county's citizens met at the
court house to hear the Hon. F. C.
Tate, the present member of Con-
gress from the 9th Congressional
District, and Solicitor Howard
Thompson in a joint discussion of
Democratic principals. These gen-
tlemen seemed in perfect accord
and thoroughly democratic. There
were no flings nor criticisms of one
by the other, but in all their allu-
sions to each other the spice of
friendship was apparent. This is
as it should be, particularly be-
tween candidates of the same par-
ty. They advocate the free coin-
age of silver, a tariff for the sup-
port of the government and oppose
the national banking system. In
other words, they stand on the Na-
tional Democratic Platform. Mr.
Tate expressed himself in favor of
an income tax and the election of
United States Senators by the peo-
ple. Don't think Mr. Thompson
gave any expression on the last
two questions. They spoke one
hour each as announced at the out-
set by Judge Kinsey. They had
the close attention of all parties
present and proved their acquaint-
ance with the questions discussed
by the easy manner in which they
present them, but as all will have
who have not already had, an op-
portunity to hear these gentlemen
we forbear saying more on the
subject.

White county has a man for the
Senate from this district who has
never asked for office before and
will not unless he has reasons to
believe that his candidacy meets
the approval of the democratic par-
ty of the counties composing the
district. He is capable and doubt-
less the man for this time. His
name is withheld by the writer
that the candidate may make his
own announcement in his own time
and manner should he decide to be-
come a candidate. GEORGIAN.

For the many accidents that occur
about the household or farm, such as
burns, scalds, bruises, cuts, ragged
wounds, bites of mosquitos or other
insects or of animals, galls or chafed
spots, frost bites, aches or pains on
any part of the body or the ailments
resulting from exposure as neuralgia,
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Two Battles.
Sampson Shells the Fort.
Five of Winslow's Crew
Slain and Boat Lost.

Port Au Prince, May 12.—The
American fleet under Rear Admi-
ral Sampson bombarded San Juan
de Porto Rico today. The follow-
ing are the details thus far receiv-
ed:

The bombardment began this
morning. Admiral Sampson with
nine war ships arrived before San
Juan just before sunrise. At a
signal the battleship Iowa fired the
first shot, which took effect.

Then the battleship Indiana
opened fire. In a few minutes
Moro fort was reduced to a heap
of ruins.

The fort made little effort to
respond and was silenced almost
immediately. The Spanish steamer
Rita was captured by the United
States auxiliary cruiser Yale,
which took her crew on board.

Thousands of the population and
the foreign consuls sought refuge
in the interior of the island.

Key West May 12.—When the
United States gunboat Hudson
arrived yesterday it brought the
bodies of five dead men who were
killed in an engagement in Car-
nadas harbor yesterday. The bodies
were covered by the stars and
stripes.

The engagement took place in-
side of the harbor. The gunboat
Wilmington, the torpedo boat
Winslow and the gunboat Hudson
were the only vessels engaged.
They entered the harbor for the
purpose of attacking some Span-
ish gunboats which were known to
be there. These latter, however,
were not discovered by the Ameri-
can force until the Spanish open-
ed fire. The land batteries of Car-
nadas supported the fire of the
Spanish gunboats.

The engagement commenced at
2:05 p. m. and lasted about an
hour. The Wilmington and the
Hudson were ahead and opened
fire on the Spanish boats, which
were lying at the docks. The firing
began at a range of 2,500 yards.
A few minutes later the Winslow
came up and also opened fire.
In an instant the entire atten-
tion of the Spanish gunboats and
land batteries were directed upon
her. Shot and shell seemed to pour
upon her from all sides but the crew
never faltered a second. At 2:35 a
solid shot crashed into the hull of
the Winslow and knocked out her
boiler. In an instant she began to
roll and drift helplessly. Then there
was a moment of awful suspense.
A fierce cheer of triumph went up
from the Spaniards on the gunboat
and in the batteries, and again a
storm of fire was opened up on the
helpless boat. The gunboat Hudson
was lying near, started to her as-
sistance of the Winslow and after
much difficulty succeeded in get-
ting near enough to throw a line to
her. At the very instant a shell
burst in the very midst of the
group of men on board of the
Winslow killing five men. The
firing from the enemy continuing
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DAHLONEGA, GA., MAY 20, 1898.

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Brother Holder, of Blue Ridge, is going to start a new publication called the Southern World. We wish him success in his new enterprise.

The Signal says that it is for Candler unless a populist is nominated for Governor. We are for Dahlonega and Lumpkin county. Col. Candler's not. That is the reason the Colonel is not on our slate.

The populists re-assembled last Wednesday and nominated J. R. Hogan, of Lincoln, for Governor. For Attorney General, F. N. Cobb of Carroll. For Commissioner of Agriculture, W. P. Glover, of Bibb.

Remember that the democratic primaries for Congressmen, Governor and Statehouse officers come off on the 6th day of next month, and that every one who wishes to vote can do so if he is willing to support the nominees.

Some say that they are going to support Col. Candler because he is our neighbor. If we mean to be so kind to our neighbors then why not send to Dawsonville and get its hand to furnish us commencement music instead of sending a way off to Atlanta for a U. S. band.

We had a pleasant visit yesterday from Mr. Phillip Cook, of Lee county, who is a candidate for Secretary of State. Mr. Cook is on a tour through the mountains getting acquainted with the people, and says that he is meeting with a good deal of encouragement.

We doubt very much whether primaries are held in many of the districts of Lumpkin county as there is no way provided for the managers holding the election to get any thing for their services, and more than one Squire has already said that they cannot afford to lose the day for nothing.

We understand that Col. J. W. H. Underwood, of Cleveland, has a senatorial bee in his cap. The Colonel is a clever and popular citizen and if he decides to get on the Senatorial track which runs from White through Lumpkin and on down to the lower edge of Dawson, he will be hard to overtake by the populist candidate.

In reply to an article in Monday's Constitution which asserted that Col. W. Price had invited Mr. Berner to make his speech at Dahlonega, the Colonel says that it is untrue. He states that some few months ago he advised one of the editors of our local papers (which is the Signal) to support Col. Candler on account of him residing in our neighbor county, and adds that he will not vote in the primary but will support the nominee. Colonel Price is not in favor of Col. Candler enough, even if he is his neighbor, to help him out in a tight but is willing to rally around the flag after the biggest part of the battle is over. This plan of the Colonel reminds of the fellow who walked behind and carried the light while his wife killed the bear.

The constitution of the 14th contained an article purporting to have been written by some correspondent in which it was stated that Col. W. P. Price had invited Mr. Berner to make his speech in Dahlonega, which is all false. Since Col. Price received a full return from Gainesville some weeks ago he has been unable to be out but a few times, (and then he had to ride) and is not in a condition to take any interest in politics in any manner whatever. He is not able to go to hear the preacher talk much less to listen to politicians discuss matters to their interest, and doesn't care whether any body else hears them or not. No doubt this letter originated in the Constitution office like many other articles do in behalf of Col. Candler.

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(Continued from first page. SUNDAY.)

A terrific battle occurred between the Spaniards and Americans last Wednesday when a boat crew under command of Lieutenant Winslow and Ensign Mcgruder went to sever Blanco's line of communication at Cienfuegos last Wednesday. The work of the volunteers was perilous as it required some time to find the cable during which time shot and shell was falling thick and fast from the enemies guns, while our war ships poured in a thunderous volley, their guns belching forth massive shells about five Americans lost their lives and it is supposed that 400 Spaniards were killed.

The Americans made an effort to land on Cuba's soil with ammunition and supplies but were driven away by the Spaniards.

Riot and famine reign in Havana and hungry people try to break into the hotel dining rooms and loot the shops.

Hurried work is being done at the war department getting ready to rush troops to Dewey. 1000 soldiers and 600 tons of ammunition will be sent him this week.

A dispatch from London says that France must explain why she failed to deliver the telegram from U. S. Consul Dart at Martinique without delay, else the cable will be cut by the United States government in twenty four hours.

MONDAY.

All the members of the Spanish cabinet have resigned and the ministry goes to pieces.

The Callay, a Spanish gun boat, has been captured by Dewey, which was trying to run the blockade at Manila. Provisions are scarce now and the Manila people are eating horse flesh.

The heavy guns at Havana shot at the American vessels five miles without damage on the 15th inst. Sixty-five thousand soldiers have been mustered in and orders have been issued for the movement of the volunteers to Chickamauga.

Rev. Father Bazin preached to the Spanish prisoners at McPherson last Sunday.

The suffering in Cuba is horrible. Spanish troops have all the food available and Cubans are dying by hundreds.

Blanco is strongly entrenched and has 70,000 soldiers in line. The rainy season has set in, thus militating against operations by the insurgents and Americans.

TUESDAY.

Secretary Long has forbidden the posting of news emanating from the navy department thus curtailing information as to movements of the navy.

Maj.-Gen. Lee has been ordered to Tampa to command the Seventh corps of the army of invasion.

Sampson and Schley are under orders to keep the Spanish fleet from entering a Cuban port.

The war department is making preparation for the mobilization and equipment of the volunteer army.

The war department has assigned the general officers to their respective commands.

WEDNESDAY.

General Blanco now refuses to exchange the two American correspondents for two Spanish prisoners because he says they are spies and not prisoners of war.

The President will soon call for more volunteer troops. The number may be as small as 50,000 or as large as 200,000.

Estimates made show that Spain has lost up to the present 3000 soldiers. Americans seven not including the Mayne. Spain has lost 15 ships. America has one damaged.

THURSDAY.

The Spaniards have been too well posted by the American newspapers and hereafter we are not to know the movements of our vessels. This is one reason why we didn't get to land on Cuba the other day. The enemy knew we were coming and were ready for us.

Secretary Long says the Oregon is safe.

Spanish fleet is entering Yucatan. Sampson is chasing it and Schley is meeting it.

The new battleship Alabama was launched yesterday at Philadelphia.

It costs two cents per gallon to supply troops with water at Key West.

Mining Notes.

The Singleton is now one of the best equipped mills in the county. Its twenty stamps are running constantly both day and night and giving satisfactory results.

John Huff is still engaged in cutting tunnels and opening up the Calhoun property. He sent off a lot of ore some time ago taken from what is known as the Peachtree vein to Mr. Whorton, the owner, for the purpose of having it assayed so as to ascertain its value, and the returns show that it is worth \$163 per ton.

Marion Chester, who used to work on the Preacher lot, now called the Kentucky, is doing some prospecting on it to see if he can't strike some rich veins which he believes to be there.

The Berch boat has been moved up the river to the mouth of Cane Creek. It was crippled some days ago and it required all of last week to make the machinery good.

Last Saturday after the Big Joe Mining Company was granted a charter the stockholders met at the office of J. F. Moore and organized. J. F. Moore was elected President and Treasurer and J. M. Murray Secretary, with main office to be located in Dahlonega. The company will add new machinery and make other changes that will be given our readers later on. This mine is a good one. Never having failed to pay a profit at no clean up since its operation, which is seldom the case with most mining operations. Mr. Harris, one of the owners, who is giving it his personal attention every day, attended the meeting.

The reports of the blasting at the Crescent mine can be heard frequently every day resembling war times. Things are moving right a head at this mine. Mr. R. W. Walker who has charge of the mine does not sit about the hotels puffing cigars, but is at the mine from morn till night.

Col. C. P. Wright and James F. Jones, a mining engineer, both of Chicago, Ill., spent several days in Lumpkin and Union counties this week in looking after mining properties. They have become interested and state that they will return within ten days and put a lot of hands to work in both counties.

Mr. S. E. White, who is now located at Dawsonville and a former typo of the Signal office, was up last week on a visit and while here was the guest of Capt. Woodward. The Signal has been advertising for an unmarried printer but as Mr. White didn't accept the job we suppose he has a contract for engaging in matrimony.

Several colored males and females coupled off and went down to the creek fishing Monday night. Among the number was Babe Coffee, a married man who escorted Lou Williams. All went well till he returned home, when Babe's wife picked up her baby and knitting and departed. Ed. Austin didn't get to go. Some one cast a few rocks at the musician, causing him to run into a cyclone pit where he remained till the sporting crowd returned.

Foster Thomaston's relatives were over last week from Union county to consult Congressman Tate and see if he would not lend a helping hand in endeavoring to have this unfortunate man pardoned. It will be remembered that he is serving out a sentence in the penitentiary for having been found guilty of whipping one of the Phillips boys over there some months ago, who followed the business of reporting illicit distilleries.

We Do Not Favor Such a Election.

Ever since there has been a talk of electing the judges and solicitors by the people we have opposed it for the reason that neither will have the same eye to their official duties while candidates as they would if they were not when this becomes the law. And we were more fully convinced the other day that we were right when we were told by some persons, who had nearly always been for Tate, that they were going to support Mr. Thompson this time, not because they had any thing against him, but because Mr. Thompson had been their friend in getting them out of trouble. One said that he had not only assisted him but had agreed to not pros a relatives case who had been cheating and swindling. Another was for him because he had been light with his brother in a pistol case, and so on. In this way a man that has influence in an election can almost do as he pleases while one with no friends and unable to stop any cracks during an election must walk the chalk line or go to the chain gang. We say let justice be done though the heavens fall. For instance look back to last court. A number of persons by agreement of Solicitor Thompson plead guilty and when the judge went to pass sentence he sit with closed lips. Yes, he did speak a time or two. When a young man who was about to have his sentence passed on him for disturbing a meeting by dancing drunk in front of a church and breaking up the meeting, Solicitor Thompson arose and said that he was the son of a cons federate soldier and the Judge gave him \$10 without cost. And right then that boys father had money loaned out on interest, so we are told, and had already deposited \$40 with one of the officers of court to pay on the fine when he sentenced. Then one of the Black boys, with but little influence, plead guilty to retailing. The Solicitor spoke up and said that he could prove that he had made two or three sales of this poor fellow had pay \$25. All the rest of the liquor dealers except Mrs. Owens had to pay only \$10. Each, even a fellow who sold out a barrel of wine on Sunday at a negro camp meeting. So, if we were to vote in the primary we would cast it against Mr. Thompson for these reasons.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

To the voters of Lumpkin County: I take this method of announcing my candidacy for re-election to the office of county treasurer and hope to receive a hearty support from you. Thanking you for past favors and hoping for a continuance of the same, I am yours respectfully,

FOR TAX COLLECTOR.

To the voters of Lumpkin County. I announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of tax collector. Thanking you for past favors and hoping my efforts to serve you for the past year will meet your approval, and if so I feel sure I will have your support in the coming election.

Yours Truly,
J. F. SARGENT.

We are requested to announce the name of George W. Walker, Jr., as a candidate for tax collector of Lumpkin county who promises to discharge the duties of such office to the best of his ability and to the satisfaction of all if elected.

A NEW TRIUMPH.

The Dreaded Consumption Can Be Cured.

T. A. Slocum, the Great Chemist and Scientist, Will Send to Sufferers, Three Free Bottles of His Newly Discovered Remedies to Cure Consumption and All Lung Troubles.

Nothing could be fairer, more philanthropic or carry more joy to the afflicted, than the generous offer of the honored and distinguished chemist, T. A. Slocum, M. C., of New York City.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR THE LEGISLATURE.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. V. Harbison as a candidate to represent Lumpkin county in the House of the next legislature.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate to represent Lumpkin county in the next legislature of this state and will appreciate the votes of my friends and if elected will do all I can for the county's best interests.

I am respectfully,
F. M. WILLIAMS.

FOR CLERK.

I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for clerk of the superior court of Lumpkin county and ask the support of all voters regardless of their race or politics and promise if elected to serve them to the best of my ability.

G. C. WALLACE.

FOR TAX RECEIVER.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. A. Anderson for Tax Receiver of Lumpkin county at the ensuing election in October.

FOR SHERIFF.

To the voters of Lumpkin: I announce myself as a candidate for Sheriff of Lumpkin county and respectfully ask the voters to give me their support. If elected I will faithfully perform the duties of such office to the best of my ability.

Respectfully,
J. M. DAVIS.

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TAX RECEIVER'S LAST ROUND.

I will be at Aurora May 17th 10 a. m., Martin's Ford 18th, 10 a. m., Wahoo 4 p. m., Shoul Creek 19th, 10 a. m., Crumley's 20th, 9 a. m., Porter Springs 3 p. m., Frog Town 21st 9 a. m., Chastee 4 p. m., Yahoola 22d, 9 a. m., Cane Creek 3 p. m., Hightower 24th, 10 a. m., Davis 25th, 10 a. m., Mill Creek 26 10 a. m., Jones' Creek 27th, 10 a. m., Nimbleville, 28th 10 a. m., Dahlonega 30th and 31st 10th a. m.

M. M. GRIZZLE, T. R.

NOTICE.

Georgia, Lumpkin County.

The public is hereby notified that the State of Georgia has filed in the office of Clerk of the Superior Court of said county its petition against the Town of Dahlonega praying for the confirming and validating of \$2,500 of School Bonds of such Town in accordance with the result of an election held in said Town on May 2nd, 1898. The Judge of said court has granted an order directing that cause be shown before him at Cleveland, Georgia, on June 4th, 1898, why said bonds should not be confirmed and validated as prayed for and the same will then and there be heard. The public will take due notice and govern itself accordingly. Given under my official signature as clerk of said court. This May 17, 1898.

JOHN H. MOORE, Clerk of the Superior court Lumpkin County.

G. H. McGuire, JEWELER, Dahlonega, Ga.

Having permanently located in Dahlonega I am now ready to do all kinds of work in my line at prices to suit the times. Bring along your clocks, watches and sewing machines. All work guaranteed for twelve months. Shop next door to A. F. Newton's old stand.

G. H. McGuire.

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HACK LINE.

HAVING recently purchased the entire daily hack line from Dahlonega to Gainesville enables me to be more prompt in carrying express packages and passengers than heretofore on fast time at same old prices. None but safe and sober drivers will be put in charge of the mail and passengers. Prompt attention given to all business entrusted to my care.

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Fresh lemons at The Commissary.

Rev. W. A. Jackson, who has been down at Whitehall, Ga., for some months, spent a few days at his home this week.

Lumpkin county is out of debt with some money in the treasury. Ordinary Tate transferred the surplus jury fund to the bridge fund in order to pay off a bridge claim and stop the interest.

A good deal of labor is being done on the street from Dr. Howards leading to the grill ground by the town authorities so as to get it in good shape for the school boys to travel to the dormitory when it is completed.

Rev. J. W. West, of Chestatee district, is all right again. They preferred charges against him in the church for some asserts it is said that he made, but the case has been not pressed and he is at liberty to preach now.

John Walden, of Hightower district, has some six or eight acres of the finest corn in that section. It was planted on the 22nd, 23rd and 24th of March and is about knee high to a man and has from six to seven blades on a stalk.

If Judge Kinsey at the last term of Lumpkin Superior Court had made his liquor taxes a little higher than ten dollars there would not have been near the drinking and cutting up at churches as have been since. It is a very cheap license.

It doesn't look now like we will have any telephone line to Gainesville. The public spirit has died away and Col. Farrow has just as well continue his line to Porter Springs and wait on as no longer as the last time we heard anything said about it they were not willing to give but \$100 for a phone to Dahlonega. A thread line could not be built for that. So the enterprise goes dead as far as Dahlonega is concerned.

Virge Moore didn't go to Sunday School or preaching last Sabbath, but remained at home and had his fortune told by Mrs. Lawrence. The old lady put a few coffee grounds in a cup, gave them a shake or two and said that Virge would strike it rich in the gold mines soon; as she could see the large cross vein in the cup. Next day he came to town looking as pleasing as a boy who had just received a letter from his sweetheart. He feels confident of success now in the near future.

We have sometimes thought that more good might be accomplished by having less night meetings and fewer grown peoples picnics. They give many of the young people (and some of the older ones) a good excuse to be away from home too much to do mischief if they so desire. We could mention the names of two young girls of Lumpkin county that have gone away within less than two years from the home of their childhood in order to hide their shame from their friends and acquaintances—all on account of attending night meetings and picnics. Some times the wife is left at home to look after the children while the husband is out making love to some married woman. Then some times it is to the reverse. Look back no longer than last Sunday at Yahoola meeting. During the day everything was quiet, peaceable and orderly, while at night there was rowing and drinking and a lot of lewd women present that had traveled several miles in order to be there. Then on Monday night a lady in Dahlonega caught her husband escorting a girl to church and she whipped the girl on the public square. Girls and women should be cautious. One misstep will ruin their fair names forever, while a man can do almost as he pleases who is afterwards whitewashed by society and assisted up to the topmost round of the ladder.

Col. M. G. Boyd, of Dahlonega will speak on Monday at Blue Ridge Commencement.

Edwin, the 20 year-old son of Samuel Lee, died in Hightower district one day last week.

Capt. Woodward was thrown from his horse yesterday morning and knocked almost breathless for a while.

The Nugget is all home print and contains more original matter than many of the weekly papers published in cities.

Cicero Stargel who came over from Union county recently to attend his sons funeral, is sick and not expected to live.

It is hoped that some one will purchase the Besser Hotel that has plenty of money to make the necessary repairs and put it in tip top shape.

A number of young people went down to the Berch boat on the Chestatee river to see its workings, while others had a pic nic down at Wimpy's mill last Saturday.

Mrs. John Hamp Anderson, formerly of Lumpkin county died in Alabama on the 4th inst. Mrs. Anderson has many relatives and a host of friends who will regret to learn of her death.

Julius Davis, a brother to Mrs. A. J. Edges, died in Crumby's district Wednesday. He had been away from this county for some time and had only been back about two weeks before he died.

Our citizens are looking forward with much interest to the commencement exercises of the N. G. A. College next month. There is a large number of students in attendance this year, all of whom seem to be well satisfied with the new president and all of his assistants.

Frank Harris, of Dahlonega, started off last week for Washington City for the purpose of taking lessons in art but on arriving in Atlanta found that the institution where he aimed to go is having vacation, and Mr. Harris will have to wait awhile before he resumes his journey.

Capt. F. M. Williams informs us that he is now ready to receive contributions from all those desiring to contribute any thing for the veterans that are unable to pay their expenses to the reunion at Atlanta in July. He will put the money in the hands of a committee of three old soldiers who expect to attend in order that it will be properly expended.

Judge Kinsey appeared last week and the Superior Court of Lumpkin county was opened for the purpose of granting the Big Joe Mine a charter and hearing the argument in a claim case of W. H. Satterfield, et al. vs. H. F. Bigbee, et al. in reference to some cost and the receivers money due in this case. The case was postponed until the 4th of June at Cleveland at which time the attorneys for both sides will meet and make an argument.

Wilks Loggins of Auraria felt quite embarrassed the other day when he was informed that he had gotten his letters mixed up and addressed them to the wrong persons. He wrote two. One to his step father down in DeKalb county and another to his sweetheart residing not far from Dahlonega and in addressing them sent his fathers to his girl and his girls to his father. Don't you know that old man Loggins laughed when he read his sons love letter?

The other day Town Marshal Davis was approached by a long tall negro woman that used to cook for Prof. Stewart, who has no name that we know of, and told that she desired him to cause Alvenia Coffee to cease paying her respects. The Marshal donned his specks and after searching the city code for some time informed the troubled woman that he could find no law where he was authorized to endeavor to prevent Alvenia from whispering words of love into her ear and she went away apparently very much distressed.

Col. Bill Findley was up a few hours last Friday from Gainesville telling yarns and cracking jokes as usual.

Little Rebecca, daughter of Prof. Stewart, fell from the porch of their residence last Sunday and broke her right arm.

Judge Kinsey only remained in Dahlonega last Saturday long enough to transact such business as was brought before the court, which only lasted a few hours.

It was reported here last week that a child of John Fletcher residing in Mill Creek district had died from the effects of a rattlesnake's bite, but we are glad to state that it was a false alarm.

Great improvements are going on in Nimbalew district in the way of building new houses, barns, etc. Mr. Wells has recently remodelled his saw mill and is turning out much good lumber for the purpose.

A little child of Jack Castleberry, residing in Auraria district, was bitten by a rattlesnake picot one day last week, causing it to have spasms for some time and was in a very dangerous condition for a long while.

The annual meeting and excursion of the Georgia Press Association has been indefinitely postponed on account of the war excitement. Won't dealers in liquor regret to hear of this in the neighborhood where they expected to travel?

Some of the colored Baptist brethren are troubled because they are informed that their church will be taken from them by the town board of education and used as a school house, as the deed shows that it was donated for this purpose. They want a place to worship the Lord but the question is can the board take the school money and appropriate it for church purposes? The act and ordinance says not.

A certain fellow without any mining experience whatever decided that he could go out and find gold like some of our miners and get rich. After working hard for three days he cleaned up and had fifteen cents worth. He came to town and bought half a dozen eggs and a French hatch and enjoyed his meal very much and is now engaged in harping instead of mining. This proves that a man has no business to undertake a thing he has no knowledge of.

Last Monday evening after the Baptist church bell had notified the people that services would soon begin Mrs. Piercan Edmonson overtook her husband at the Moore & McGuire corner in company with a daughter of James Adams, on their way to the meeting. It was more than the woman could stand and she lit on to the girl like fighting fire, while her husband made quick speed across the square, and destroyed her hat and tearing her dress before Dr. Jones and Lon Bruce could separate them. Then Mrs. Edmonson went on down to church. As soon as the girls mother heard of it she went to the church and while waiting for Mrs. Edmonsons appearance. John Adams, a kinsman, went in and brought the lady out and carried her safely to her place of abode. They were followed some distance by Mrs. Adams but she did nothing except use her tongue. Mrs. Edmonson said that she would return to her fathers house—John Walker—the next morning as she could not live any longer with Piercan. The lady was married only a few months ago to Edmonson against her fathers will, which shows that she ought to have taken his advice and let marrying alone. Mrs. Edmonson acknowledged in the Mayors Court on Wednesday that she hit the girl. She said that she had asked her husband during the day to carry her to church but he refused, and when she saw him with the girl it was more than she could bear. But the law had been violated and Mayor Price fined both one dollar each. Her husband was headed towards Gainesville at last accounts.

We learn that Jim Ash and Nelson Ingram had a row at Yahoola church last Sunday night.

Rev. W. H. McAfee preached an interesting sermon last Sunday down at Keystone church in Auraria district.

Rev. J. W. Rider will preach the funeral of Johnie Carder at Pleasant Hill church on the second Sunday in next month.

We understand that Mr. Nobles, who we saw proper to show up a little recently, remarked that he ought to come down and fill us full of holes. It might give him more trouble to do so than the holes he made in some of the boarding house hash.

Ordinary Tate has received a letter from State Commissioner Johnson in which he holds that a pensioners claim that has been disapproved by the grand jury of the county of pensioners residence cannot be resisted by the grand jury recommending the approval of the claim, but pensioner, in order to get his name back on the roll, will have to furnish the requisite proof, regardless of the action of the second grand jury.

One day last week James Brown who lives about two miles from town, plowed up five peculiar looking snakes in a spot of ground near his house having stingers like a wasp. One or more have been killed at or near this place for several years of the same kind. Last year James Davis, who lives on the adjoining farm to Brown, lost a horse because some unknown cause. One of these same kind of snakes was killed in the lot where the animal did it is supposed now that the heifer had been stung by the snake.

A few days ago John Anderson, col., who resides a few miles above Dahlonega, went up in the mountains and brought back three gallons of snake bite bitters for medical purposes. Afterwards, while away from home some one went and relieved John of all of his medicine and when the poor negro went home he almost shed tears with regret. John secured a searching party who visited several houses in the neighborhood but failed to find it. A certain person living in Dahlonega who had a share in the medicine was fortunate enough to bring his away before the removal was made.

One of the members of the board of education of Lumpkin county remarked that we must read up, because we are opposed to the change they have made in school books for the county which will be the means of patrons of the public schools paying out hundreds of extra dollars. He said that the new ones are better and cheaper. When the poor men have not got the money to buy with how are they going to get them? Have to throw away the old ones and do without schooling their children because 5 or six men, the majority of them doubtless being unable to spell a Baker in old Webster along about Baker correctly, say that these new books are the ones, how do they know that the new ones are best? Long ago children walked 3 or 6 miles to school and learned nearly as much in a month as they sometimes do now in six weeks, simply because they had good teachers and fewer books which enabled them to study them more thoroughly. We have often thought that the school commissioner and the members of the board ought to have to stand an examination like teachers. Not many years ago a commissioner allowed one of his friends first grade license to teach school in this county and while attending a teachers institute the expert asked the teacher what venting a room meant. His reply was, "To stick up flowers over the doors and windows." This shows that some body else needs to "read up." Let us read up a little further. We understand the State School Commissioner in reply to a letter before Court said a member in the town could not be re-appointed since "for bonds" carried. Then how can a member already appointed living in town hold on to his office?

Mrs. Tilson takes her departure this week.

U. S. Collector Trammell arrived in our town last Wednesday.

J. P. Clark, of Atlanta, was registered at the Hall House yesterday.

Col. J. H. Moore, his wife and daughter, left out for Canton yesterday.

Jasper Satterfield taken suddenly sick the other day and has been dangerously sick most ever since.

Destroy the bugs on your potatoes by putting a pint of kerosene in half a gallon of butter milk and sprinkle on the vines.

The meeting is still going on at the Baptist church. Services are being held during the day this week instead of at night, and some additions have already been made to the church.

Tax Receiver Grizzle closed his second round here last week in receiving tax returns. He kept quite busy for two days. While not receiving returns he was out talking politics. See his third and last round in this issue.

The junior editor of the Signal has a "laughing box" which he presents to all persons that get mad at anything that appears in his paper, and when they take a gaze they are sure to smile and forget all troubles in the mine.

Yellow Creek meeting last Sunday was largely attended by the students and citizens of Dahlonega and the best of order prevailed. There was not the drinking and misbehavior on the way as has frequently been, but one or two persons were noticeable among the large crowd present that were under the influence of liquor.

Last Sunday was meeting day at Yahoola. The number of people present was large, as they gather there every meeting day for miles around. Usually there is a good deal of drinking and bad conduct during the day but it was not so on this occasion. There was no liquor sold about the place and every body listened to the preachers with much interest. One fellow (and maybe others) went from this place, carrying an empty bottle, but he met with disappointment and came back with his bottle empty and looking as dry as a powder house. A young man, a student of our college, named Taylor preached who was followed by Revs. Mat Grizzle and Jonathan Gilreath. Mr. Taylor, though young, told the congregation many interesting things about the Bible.

Last Saturday while in conversation with Rev. J. W. Rider, of Two Run, he told us many interesting things about old times. When he was growing up boys were given their first pair of shoes, home made, Christmas morning, and people only had biscuits once a week—every Sunday morning—and hickory ashes were used as a substitute for soda. Then women all wore cotton dresses and bonnets to church and didn't have to go with an empty stomach like many do now days, in order to rig up so as to look as fine if not finer than some body else. They washed their faces with lye soap and used corn meal for face powders and made music on the spinning wheel and loom instead of a piano or an organ. Mr. Rider is an old time farmer who lives at home and boards at the same place. When preaching he does not try to cut any operative didos and is not opposed to eating honey that is made on Sunday, but is governed by the rules laid down in the Bible. Times are so different now. At the present time if a respectable lady goes into a store wearing an old fashioned long tailed bonnet the clerk will go round behind the counter dragging his foot sorter like a hog that is broken down in its loins and asks her, "What do you want?" When if it is one that wears a hat of many feathers he will approach her on his tip toes with hat thrown under the counter and say, "Good morning, Miss—". Is there anything we can do for you to day?" At the same time twisting his mouth up like he was trying to convert it into an auger.

College News.

The college transit has been repaired and Prof. Witherspoon is carrying on his instruction in field surveying.

The April reports have been issued and the Honor Roll is as follows:

Senior class, Miss Hattie Rogers, Junior class, B. G. Parks, Sophomore class, A. W. Cain and W. M. Smith.

Freshman class, Miss Eya McKee, G. L. Patterson and J. W. West.

"A" class, W. J. McKee, Lea Sosebee and Paul Sosebee.

"B" class, Miss Estelle Harris, N. W. Grant, D. L. Cook and Miss Bessie Strickland.

Last Saturday the young ladies of the Corona Society picniced at Yahoola bridge. They were so kind as to invite the young men of the other two societies.

Quite a number of the young men secured leaves of absence for themselves and some lady friend and went to Yellow Creek last Sunday.

Twenty years ago the Hon. F. C. Tate, the noted congressman of the ninth district, was in college here and served on a public debate for the Decora Society. Who knows but that twenty years hence some one of the present student body will represent his district in the national hall?

It is said that the Rev. Mr. Cates who made himself famous as an usher while in college here went over to Gainesville and began ushering at the Baptist church, but was soon beaten out of his job. He then went to the Methodist church and entered the usher service as a volunteer, but it was not long until the pastor asked him to take his seat and behave himself.

Prof. W. F. Palmer of Dawsonville is to make the address before the Alumni Association on Tuesday of commencement.

The commencement exercises will begin on Saturday before the first Sunday in June.

A move is being made to secure a life size portrait of each of the former professors of the college. When secured the portraits will be hung in the chapel.

Hon. F. C. Tate will make the literary address before the Decora and Corona Societies on Wednesday of commencement.

A committee consisting of one from each class in college has been appointed to secure music for commencement. They will be likely to get the U. S. Band at Fort McPherson.

Prof. Witherspoon has been offered the presidency of a college in Tennessee, but we hope he will not accept. Our own institution needs his service. He may have a small number of severe critics but he has a smaller number of equals in his profession.

Mr. B. W. Allen is a most useful hand in a survey. He is the only one in college who can act as a successful flagman without a flag.

Prof. Palmour has been elected secretary of the faculty instead of Prof. Vickery.

Sunday afternoon as a certain student turned a street corner he looked inside and everything looked so lovely he decided to go in. He had been there only a short while, as he thought, when he recognized the ringing of his boarding house supper bell in the street just opposite him. He looked up and behold the sun was buried behind the western hills.

One day this week John Sullins impounded some of John Redmonds pigs and notified Mrs. Redmond, as her husband was here in town at work. Mrs. Redmond went over after the pigs telling Sullins that her husband would pay him the impounding fee when he returned from Dahlonega on Saturday, but he refused to let them go without the money. The lady began to tear down the pen when the man interfered and she picked up a stick and broke one of his shoulders. Sullins swore out a peace warrant for the lady and the result was he had to pay the cost after the trial.

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take great pleasure in waiting on you.
Very Respectfully,
MRS. E. W. STRICKLAND.

Commissioner's Sale.

GEORGIA—Lumpkin County.
By virtue of an order from the Superior
Court of said county granted on the April
term 1898 in the case of Margaret F. Mur-
phy vs. Mary Murphy, Merchants and Her-
bert Joseph Murphy, the same being for the
partition by sale of the property hereinafter
described, the undersigned Commissioners
appointed by said order and being by said
Court so directed to do will on the first
Tuesday in June 1898 at the court house
located in said county, within the legal hours
of sale at public outcry to the highest bidder
for cash, sell the following property to-wit:
A certain house in Dahlonega, the lot being
one hundred feet square and being a part of
land lot No. 319 in the 12th district and lot
section of Lumpkin county, Georgia, which
was conveyed to Wm. S. Roberts as Presi-
dent of the Augusta and Dahlonega Gold
Mining Company on the 14th day of May
1881 to the children of Mrs. Ann Murphy.
Deed recorded in Book "U" page 54
and said property more particularly de-
scribed therein. Said sale to be made for the
purpose of making division of the proceeds
between the said plaintiff and de-
fendants who are tenants in common, each
owning one undivided third interest in
said property. May the 6th, 1898.
WM. J. WOLLEY,
O. J. LLOYD,
JOSEPH ALLEN,
Commissioners.

So says the Women.
Especially valuable to women is Brown's
Iron Bitters. Backache vanishes, headache
disappears, strength returns, the play-
ing of the bow of health readily
comes to the pallid cheek, the won-
derful remedy is taken. For sickly children
or overworked men, it is equal. No home
should be without this remedy.
Brown's Iron Bitters is sold by all dealers.

Program of Commencement
Exercises N. G. A. College.

Saturday, June 4.
9 to 12 a. m.—Inspection of the
examination papers and the college
building and grounds by the com-
mittee of the General Assembly.
8 p. m.—'B' class declamations.
Miss Berta Castleberry,
Miss Lizzie Castleberry,
Miss Maud Worley,
Miss Ida Starr,
Miss Estelle Harris,
Miss Annie Palmour,
F. C. Mattox, E. S. Stamey,
J. C. Tate, N. W. Grant,
E. A. Lambert, V. R. Hicks.
Sunday, June 5.
11 a. m.—Commencement ser-
mon by Rev. J. W. Quillian, of
Marietta.
4 p. m.—Meeting of Y. M. C.
A. and League.
8 p. m.—Sermon by Rev. J. W.
Quillian.

Monday, June 6.
10 a. m.—'A' class decla-
mations.
Miss Marie Gaillard,
Miss Ethel Harris,
Miss Cora Byers,
Miss Maud McGuire,
Miss Minnie Wheeler,
J. H. Byers, G. A. Gurley,
R. D. Loye, J. O. Parker,
J. D. Twitty, R. E. Smith,
Call Strickland, W. L. Robinson.
5 p. m.—Sham battle.
8 p. m.—Entertainment by the
girls of the Corona Society.

Tuesday, June 7.
9:30 a. m.—Freshman decla-
mations:
Miss Eva McKee,
Miss Maggie Crisson.
S. A. Harris, W. F. Newton,
C. Shultz, T. C. McKibben,
J. A. Starr, J. M. Starr,
J. W. West.
Alumni Address by Prof. Pal-
mer, of Dawsonville.

5 p. m.—Prize drill between
'B' company and 'A' company.
8 p. m.—Champion debate.
J. L. Bell, Pres., D. C. Stow,
Sec'y.

**Subject: Resolved, That Hawaii
should be annexed to the United
States.**

**Affirmative: B. P. Gaillard, Jr.,
and H. L. Peacock, Decora Socie-
ty. Negative: L. N. Shahan and
C. Shultz, Phi Mu Society.**

Wednesday, June 8.
9:30 a. m.—Sophomore decla-
mations.
Miss Emma Anderson,
A. W. Cain,
Miss Fannie Gaillard,
H. D. Gurley, Jr.,
H. L. Peacock,
L. F. Shahan,
W. M. Smith,
G. W. Thompson.

Literary address before the De-
cora and Corona Societies by Hon.
F. C. Tate.

3:30 p. m.—Meeting of Old Stu-
dents Association.

5 p. m.—Inspection and review
of the Battalion of cadets.
B. P. Gaillard, Jr.,
F. G. Parks,
B. S. Price.

Graduating exercises.
Essay by Miss Hattie Rodgers,
of Emanuel county, Ga.

Valedictory address by Capt. J.
L. Bell, of Cherokee county, Ga.
Delivery of college diplomas.
Delivery of Decora Society.
Diplomas by Lee Sosebee.
Delivery of Corona Society di-
plomas.
Delivery of medals, declamation
prizes and teachers' license.
Benediction.

Don't Neglect Your Liver.
Liver troubles quickly result in serious
complications, and the man who neglects his
liver has little reason for health. A bottle
of Brown's Iron Bitters taken now and then
will keep the liver in perfect order. If the
disease has developed, Brown's Iron Bitters
will cure it permanently. Strength and
vitality will always follow its use.
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Brief War Notes Taken From
Each Paper Daily.

FRIDAY.
The Spanish squadron is reported
to have arrived at Santiago de
Cuba.
The delay in aggressive move-
ments toward Cuba is caused by
the army being inefficient in num-
ber and equipment, which condi-
tions are fully realized by the war
department.
The cruiser Charleston, which
sailed Wednesday for Manila, has
returned to port disabled.
The Gussie expedition was not
an entire failure. Two native
scouts were landed and five Span-
ish guerrillas were slain.
Two American warships appear-
ed off Santiago de Cuba Wednes-
day and drew the fire of the bat-
teries at the harbor entrance.
The Spaniards have secured a
coal depot near St. Pierre, Miqu-
elon French colony of the south
coast of Newfoundland.
The bombardment of Cienfuegos
caused the death of 300 Spaniards
and several hundred wounded.

SATURDAY.
The Gainesville boys, who re-
cently volunteered to go to war,
didn't find as nice a job of it as
they expected. When they got to
Camp Northern they had no blank-
ets and were compelled to sleep on
straw with nothing to cover with,
causing some of them to get sick
and have to come back home.
There is but little fun in camp
life during war.

Lon announces that Spanish
fleet has reached Santiago de
Cuba. The American blockade
didn't amount to much. It is now
feared that the Spaniards will slip
over and shell an Atlantic coast
city.

The government has received a
dispatch from Havana "announ-
cing" that the rebels have pro-
nounced in favor of Spain and are
making common cause with the
Spaniards to defeat the Ameri-
cans.

Havana is said to be well forti-
fied and it will require 50,000 men
to take it.

Admiral Cervera is being given
much praise for having reached
Santiago de Cuba by the Spaniards
which is considered as a great vic-
tory for them.

Before many days have passed
Tampa harbor will be one of the
best defended on the gulf coast by
submarine mines.

Water is very scarce at Tampa
and it costs 15 cents per day to
water the mules belonging to the
army. They have 4,000 of these
shaved-tails and the water they
drink costs \$600 per day.

The war department has just
placed an order for 200,000 pairs
of soldiers' shoes.

Four hundred and sixty Swedes
have tendered their services to
Uncle Sam to fight Spaniards.
1,000 men have been sent to
Dewey's aid.

Up to date there are 114,000
volunteers ready for duty. 125,000
was the number called for. Some
states are slow in organizing.
(Continued on second page.)

A SECRET.
If all the ladies knew the simple
secret that a bad complexion is due
to a disordered liver, there would be
fewer sallies. This important organ
must be kept active and healthy to
insure a clear and rosy color. Dr.
J. H. McLean's Liver and Kidney
Balm as a beautifier beats all the
creams and lotions in existence, and
will produce a more permanent effect.
Removes bad taste in the mouth,
offensive breath yellow tinge in the
skin, wind on the stomach, and that
dull, bilious feeling which so surely
indicates the torpid liver. Price \$1.
00 a bottle. Moore & McGuire's.

It Did Not Face Her.

A freckled-faced girl stopped at
the postoffice window and called
out.
Anything for the Murphys?
No, there is not.
Anything for Jane Murphy?
Nothing.
Anything for Ann Murphy?
No.
Anything for Tom Murphy?
No.
No, not a bit.
Anything for Terry Murphy?
No, not for Pat Murphy, nor
Dennis Murphy, or Pete Murphy,
nor Paul Murphy, nor for any
other Murphy—dead, living,
unborn, native or foreign, civilized
or uncivilized, savage or barbari-
ous, male or female, black or white
franchised or disfranchised, natu-
ralized or otherwise. No; there is
positively nothing for any of the
Murphys, either individually,
jointly, severally, now and forever
and inseparable.
The girl looked at the postmaster
in astonishment and said: Please
to look if there is anything for
Clarence Murphy.—Ex.

Both Sides.
Sensible woman, take care how
you listen to the voice of the flatter-
er, who, in return for his little
stock expects to derive from you
considerable advantage. If one day
you do not comply with his wishes,
he imputes to you two hundred
defects instead of perfection.—
Americus Times Recorder.

Sensible men, look out for the
female flirt and flatterer. Remem-
ber that she will praise you until
you, poor vain thing, believe you
are the only thing on the Christmas
tree. Just listen and you will hear
her pay the same compliments to
the next fellow.—Rome Tribune.

In all towns where a newspaper
is published every man or woman
engaged in business of any kind
should advertise in the paper, if
nothing more than a card stating
his or her name and the business
they are engaged in. It always
pays the advertiser, and, besides,
let the people at a distance know
that the town you live in is a
prosperous community, and that
people may live in it with a chance
to make a living. Never pull in
your sign in a home newspaper if
you expect to continue in business
and receive the patronage of the
public.—Ex.

At Atlanta the wife of A. Gins-
berger, who conducts a second-
hand clothing establishment, had
just finished brushing a pair of
trousers and was going through
the different pockets to see if they
contained any valuables. When
she thrust her hand into one of the
hip pockets she brought forth a
dark-looking object as cold as ice,
which proved to be the hand of an
infant. The trousers containing
the hand were sold to Ginsberger
by a negro man.

There are at present in the Uni-
ted States Senate twelve senators
who served in the Union army and
twelve who served in the Confed-
erate army. There are fifty-seven
representatives who served in the
Union army and thirty who are
ex-Confederates.

There comes a time in life to all
of us when we feel mean and "out
of sorts" and in a condition to invite
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sickness or overwork its invigorating
influence is surprising promptly
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spirits. At Moore & McGuire's.

The NUGGET gives all the news.

Bitter Words.

A single bitter word may dis-
quiet an entire family for a whole
day; one surly glance casts a gloom
over the household, while a smile,
like a gleam of sunshine, may light
up the darkest and weariest hours.
Like unexpected flowers which
spring up along our path, full of
freshness, fragrance and beauty,
so kind words and gentle acts and
sweet dispositions make glad the
sacred spot called home. No mat-
ter how humble the abode, if it be
sweetened with kindness and
smiles, the heart will turn lovingly
toward it from all the tumults of
the world, and home, if it be ever
so homely, will be the dearest spot
beneath the circuit of the sun.—
Exchange.

Times are going to be hard and
money scarce, boys, so do not ex-
pect every man who offers for
office to set 'em up for every crowd
he meets, and donate \$5 to the
building or repairing of every
church house and school building
in the country. Candidates have
been imposed upon in this line un-
til it is almost useless for a poor
man to offer for office. The seri-
ous features of this is, that the very
calamity howler, who is always
yelling about "money in politics,"
is the very man that makes the
largest demand.—Ex.

"In the beginning God created
the heavens and the earth. Then
he made the editor, the liberal ad-
vertiser and the prompt-paying
subscriber, and it was good. The
next day a blizzard set in, and he
created the man who didn't believe
in advertising, and another who
didn't take his home paper, then he
recreated. The devil then got in
to the moulding room, and he
created the fellow who takes the
paper for years and then fails to
pay for it. The devil then rested,
but the editor hasn't had any rest
since.—Ex.

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No one need suffer with neuralgia,
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by Brown's Iron Bitters. Every disease
of the blood, nerves and stomach, chronic
or otherwise, succumb to Brown's Iron
Bitters. Known and used for nearly a
quarter of a century, it stands today the
most among our most valued remedies.
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Mrs. Jefferson Davis in a letter
to the New York World, makes the
following comment upon Admiral
Dewey's victory: "Though I am
well aware that no eulogism uttered
by an individual could enhance
the value of Admiral Dewey's glo-
rious victory over Manila, in re-
sponse to your invitation to ex-
press my opinion of it I can only
say every American must feel
proud not only in him but in the
officers and men of our fleet whose
valor has added another wreath to
the laurels won by the American
navy ever since their flag numbered
thirteen stars.

The acclaim of his grateful
countrymen must ever be a hero's
dearest reward, and this guerdon
awaits Admiral Dewey and his
dauntless men, who have taken a
brilliant initiative in achieving the
first victory of war."

Several American millionaires
have patriotically offered large
sums of money to defend this
country. If all of them would in-
sist upon an income tax it would
prove thoroughly effective and
more than patriotic, says the Dal-
ton Citizen.

For the many accidents that occur
about the household or farm, such as
burns, scalds, bruises, cuts, ragged
wounds, bites of mosquitos or other
insects or of animals, galls or chafed
spots, frost bites, aches or pains on
any part of the body or the ailments
resulting from exposure as neuralgia,
rheumatism, etc., Dr. J. H. McLean's
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Every mother
feels an inde-
scribable dread
of the pain and
danger attend-
ant upon the
most critical pe-
riod of her life.
Becoming a
mother should be
a source of joy
to all, but the
suffering and
danger of the ordeal make
its anticipation one of misery.

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women of the great pain and suffer-
ing incident to maternity; this
hour which is dreaded as woman's
severest trial is not only made
painless, but all the danger is re-
moved by its use. Those who use
this remedy are no longer de-
pendent on gloomy, nervousness,
nausea and other distressing con-
ditions are avoided, the system is
made ready for the coming event,
and the serious accidents so com-
mon to the critical hour are ob-
viated by the use of Mother's
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spected with tunnels and shafts. Are yield-
ing from four to fifteen tons, per ton, veins
averaging from 18 to 18 inches thick. Creek
runs all machinery for crushing ore on
said property. Also mineral lots in Lump-
kin county No. 410, 631, 612,
624 and 1st, containing 40 acres, more or
less. Those wishing to examine any of
said property with the view of purchasing
should address, W. H. McLean,
Dahlonega, Ga.

An Old Idea.
Every day strengthens the belief of emi-
nent physicians that impure blood is the
cause of the majority of our diseases.
Twenty-five years ago this theory was used
as a basis for the formula of Brown's Iron
Bitters. The many remarkable cures effected
by this famous old household remedy are
sufficient to prove that the theory is correct.
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THE NUGGET

DAHLONEGA, GA., MAY 27, 1898.
Entered at the Dahlonega, Ga. P. O.
as Second Class Matter.

Jerry Simpson has been re-nominated for congress in Kansas.

Wheat is now worth 1.85 per bushel, and the limit is not yet likely reached.

It has been decided to hold the Georgia Weekly Press Association in Newnan July, 12th.

A taylor at Bloomfield, Ill., committed suicide the other-day by sticking nine needles in his body.

We have thrown away our political muzzle and hereafter expect to vote for the most competent man offering for office.

Bear this in mind. If as many as three democrats run for the legislature in Lumpkin county she will be represented by a republican.

Seven persons were killed by a tornado in Arkansas Friday night which passed near Fayetteville, and much property was destroyed.

We heard a citizen say the other night that he would support no candidate residing in Gainesville because her citizens are always fighting Dahlonega's interests.

Near fifty lives were lost and thousands of dollars worth of property destroyed by the destructive cyclone which passed through eastern Iowa and western Illinois last week.

The populists of the Ninth meet in Gainesville on the 28th of June to nominate a candidate to represent said district in the next Congress and to select a new executive committee.

The members of the republican state central committee will meet in Atlanta next Tuesday. A proposition will be made to put a full ticket in the field, and a candidate for congress in each district.

An extended notice of the primary election to be held 6th of June will be published next week from Joseph Allen, Chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee of Lumpkin county. Also one from the state chairman.

Three thousand pounds of powder blew up at the plant of the Economical Smokeless Powder Co., near Hammond, Ind., on the 21st, killing one man and injuring three others and demolishing the building in which it was located. It was about to begin work on a government order for 25,000, 000 cartridges. Cause of explosion unknown.

As it is believed by some in this county that all voters have to register before they are allowed to cast their ballots in the June primary we will state that leading attorneys have been consulted who say not. The reason they are required in Bibb, Richmond and probably other counties in Georgia is to protect the democratic primaries from so many negroes that are loafing about the cities of those counties ready for sale.

Just as a gentleman remarked the other day, if Col. Candler is such a war horse why pile the honors so thick and fast upon the old fellows head? There are hundreds of just as good soldiers as Col. Candler who shouldered the musket and fought, bled and suffered that are just as much entitled to an office if this be the game, as the Colonel. As it is, many of them are given a small pension to keep them from having to go to the poor house.

There is one thing certain. Either Tate or Thompson or the editors of the Pickens county Herald and Gainesville Eagle and Cracker should be turned out of the democratic party. If all the things these editors say about these congressional candidates are true neither should be allowed to call themselves democrats, much less go to Congress. And if the assertions made against them are untrue the democrats should boycott both the Eagle, Herald and Cracker.

Mining Notes.

Capt. John Huff was up from the Calhoun mine last Tuesday and informed us that he had struck the old Calhoun vein this week, which showed up nicely, being speckled with the yellow metal. This vein was worked by a man by the name of Pasco along about 1848 and 9 and was one of the richest veins in the whole country. It is said that he often made 2,000 dwts. per day, sometimes panning out as much as 500 dwts. to the pan. It was afterwards worked some five years by Lawrence & Seismum who did well. They afterwards lost the vein and we expect this is the first time it has been discovered since then. If it is as rich now as it was then they have certainly got a good mine. Mr. Huff will do nothing more to it until the owner comes who is expected to be in a few days.

Virge Moose, who has been deposited mining down at the Ivey mine for some time has reasons to feel proud over his recent good luck. He has made about 125 dwts. of gold since court week being something like three weeks, with no assistance except one of his small boys and on Monday of last week he panned out 31 dwts.

For several weeks Manager Norwood has been prospecting the "black belt" on the Kentucky Mining Co's properties with water, using both traverse ditches and grant. Van Crow has been handling the giant and has skinned a big lot of ground. As it is generally known, water has to be raised on the hill at the Kentucky mines, and the giant gets its supply either from a reservoir or direct from the pump, as occasion may require. Recently the pump line was moved from the Grismco lot to the West side of the Preacher, and considerable ground has been washed off on top of the ridge, hunting for a rich quartz vein there. For years prospectors have been finding very rich pieces of float on that part of the property but have never been able to locate the vein, the red clay being so deep and tough they could not make much headway with their little pits and trenches. Mr. Norwood has been stripping off the clay in a wide swath. He has found an abundance of the float and cement that assay "way up," and thinks that he has got on the right track to find the vein; but he thinks the vein is considerably to the West, and he has suspended the hunt until he can get another piece of work in operation for which the water is needed.

Twenty stamps of the Talonoka Co's mill (generally known as the "Singleton") are working splendidly. When the Company bought the property from Capt. Hall and consolidated with their other lots, the mill had but ten stamps and needed overhauling, which was done and other changes making it practically a new mill. That work was done by the clever old millwright J. B. Duckett, and he made a very good job of it. Recently the mill house was enlarged and ten more stamps were added, the work being done by John S. Sargent. Although Mr. Sargent had had much experience under other millwrights and is well known for his fine workmanship, this is the first mill he has put up independently. While putting up the new batteries he remodelled some of the other work. Mr. Norwood, the mining engineer and manager, says it is a beauty and works like a charm. For the rest of the month, however, only ten stamps will be run. It has been found that as coupled for the original ten stamps the cam and driving pulleys are too close for twenty, the strain on belt and driving shaft being too great. This will be changed at the end of the month and the twenty stamps will again be dropping.

The flume line of the Kentucky Mining Co. is being changed to the West end of the Preacher cut. Mr. Norwood has hit upon a plan which he thinks will enable him to find some rich veins that formerly worked down to a big "cross-course" and then lost. At any rate

he expects to get enough ore from the work to keep the mill going, and will eventually reach a lot of soft ore that he left standing in the tunnel. The flume is being moved in order to have quick and cheap transportation. Marion Chester, foreman of the Talonoka Mining Co., of which Mr. Norwood is also manager, will give part of his attention to this work also, until it gets under full headway. Marion is an expert and won't let any gold escape him.

Henry Roberts, who has been working for the Kentucky Mining Co. for over a year has retired from the Company's service. Henry says he can't stand it to work in open cuts, and since that is the only kind of work the Company is now doing that let him out. Henry will probably be mining for himself pretty soon.

Talk about the "Homestake" and the "Alaska Treadwell" cheap mining! What's the matter with Dahlonega? Isn't she all right? Manager Norwood says he is prepared to mine and mill one dollar ore at a profit at the Talonoka Co's mines. Here's a chance for the mathematicians.

Senator Castleberry, of Dawsonville, spent last Sunday in Dahlonega with his relatives. The Senator has quit politics and gone into the mining industry down at Berresville in that county, who expects rich rewards for his labors in the near future. He is a clever and deserving gentleman and as Dr. Stephenson used to say, we hope that he will make "millions" of the precious metal.

College News.

Saturday night the Corona girls held an open meeting which was very interesting. Miss Hattie Rogers was president and Miss Mand Worley secretary. Miss Emma Anderson read a beautiful passage from the Bible, and an elegant essay was read by Miss Marie Gaillard. The selections read by Misses Cora Byers and Minnie Wheelchel were properly distributed among the recitation of Misses Berta Castleberry, Lizzie Castleberry, Maggie Crisson, Ethel Harris and Mand Worley. The entertainment was splendid. It is not too much to say that its different features were good, better best.

Last Saturday the Decoras debated the subject: Resolved, That the property of our country is due more to its natural resources than to the exertion of its people. Decision was rendered in favor of the negative.

The Phi Mus debated the subject: Resolved, That the stage has a moral influence. Decision, in favor of the affirmative.

Mr. J. D. Twitty has been promoted corporal.

The teachers examination is in progress this week. Fifty teachers are standing for license.

Brief War Notes Taken From Each Paper Daily.

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SUNDAY.
The monitor Monterey has been ordered to Manila to strengthen Dewey's fleet.

The Oregon made her long journey and is in such condition as as not to need any repairs.

A passenger train ran into a military train near Chickamauga, killing one soldier, wounding many others and killing all the horses of the officers.

MONDAY.
The cruiser Charleston left San Francisco yesterday for Manila.

Ten thousand troops are at the Golden Gate ready for transportation to the Philippines.

The Cadiz squadron is ready to sail. It is reported that it is intended to attack north Atlantic coast cities.

TUESDAY.

A military train and a freight train collided near Savannah, and Private Barbee of the First North Carolina regiment was killed.

The Spanish government is likely to resort to privateering.

Sixteen divers have gone to Key

West to clean the hulls of the naval fleet.

A Cuban expedition will sail from Mobile in a few days with seven car loads of ammunition and 15,000 rifles.

WEDNESDAY.

The Philippines expedition is now assured, as ships are under way and others are preparing to depart.

The Spaniards are showing great activity in their navy yards. Two torpedo boat destroyers are to join Cervera.

The cruiser St. Louis cut the cable at San Juan and an English cable from Santiago de Cuba to Jamaica.

Officers and men at Tampa believe an aggressive movement on Cuba is near at hand.

THURSDAY.

An additional 75,000 volunteers have been called for by the President to help crush Spain.

Official telegrams from Cuba confirm the report that Sampson and Schly with their combined squadrons are now in front of Santiago de Cuba, blockading Admiral Cervera.

The water tank at the jail seems to be nothing more than an ornament. It looks as dry as a powder house and may be in danger of catching a fire.

Mr. Kemp, the former post master at Half Way, since his removal down in Hall county on Squirrel Creek, has had an office established at his place of business.

We believe that a minister ought to be dealt with more severely for abusing stock than any one else. The other morning as the colored preacher was returning home sitting reared back by the side of his wife in a buggy drawn by a mule that was so old and poor that you could count its ribs, he saw a huzard, which alarmed him for fear that the bird would take the old animal away from him and he would have to walk. The unmerciful man let in to beating the animal with a big long hickory so hard and fast that the buzzard decided that its would be breakfast was nothing but a lot of bones and let it make its escape without any battle with the driver. If that minister would swap off his costly derby for a cheaper hat and take the boot in corn and feed it to his poor old mule his preaching would have a better effect.

A NEW TRIUMPH.

The Dreaded Consumption Can Be Cured.

T. A. Slocum, the Great Chemist and Scientist, Will Send to Sufferers, Three Free Bottles of His Newly Discovered Remedies to Cure Consumption and All Lung Troubles.

Nothing could be fairer, more philanthropic or carry more joy to the afflicted, than the generous offer of the honored and distinguished chemist, T. A. Slocum, M. C., of New York City.

He has discovered a reliable and absolute cure for consumption, and all bronchial, throat, lung and chest diseases, catarrhal affections, general decline and weakness, loss of flesh and all conditions of wasting away; and to make its genuineness known, will send three free bottles of his newly discovered remedies to any afflicted reader of the NUGGET.

Already his "new scientific system of medicine" has permanently cured thousands of apparently hopeless cases.

The Doctor considers it not only his professional, but his religious duty—a duty to which he owes no suffering humanity—to donate his infallible cure.

He has proved the "dreaded consumption" to be a curable disease beyond a doubt, in any climate, and has on file in his American and European laboratories thousands of "hundredfold testimonials of gratitude" from those benefited and cured, in all parts of the world.

Catarrhal and pulmonary troubles lend to consumption, and consumption, uninterrupted, means speedy and certain death. Don't delay until it is too late. Simply write T. A. Slocum, M. C., 98 Pine Street, New York, giving express and postal address, and the free medicine will be promptly sent. Please tell the Doctor you saw his offer in the NUGGET, Jan. 28.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR THE LEGISLATURE.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. V. Harrison as a candidate to represent Lumpkin county in the next legislature of this state and will appreciate the votes of my friends and if elected will do all I can for the county's best interests.

I am respectfully,

F. M. WILLIAMS.

FOR CLERK.

I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for clerk of the superior court of Lumpkin county and ask the support of all voters regardless of their race or politics and promise if elected to serve them to the best of my ability.

G. C. WALLACE.

FOR TAX RECEIVER.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. A. Anderson for tax Receiver of Lumpkin county at the ensuing election in October.

FOR SHERIFF.

To the voters of Lumpkin: I announce myself as a candidate for Sheriff of Lumpkin county and respectfully ask the voters to give me their support. If elected I will faithfully perform the duties of such office to the best of my ability.

Respectfully,

J. M. DAVIS.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

To the voters of Lumpkin county: I take this method of announcing my candidacy for re-election to the office of county treasurer and hope to receive a hearty support from you. Thanking you for past favors and hoping for a continuance of the same, I am yours respectfully,

E. F. JACKSON.

FOR TAX COLLECTOR.

To the voters of Lumpkin County. I announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of tax collector. Thanking you for past favors and hoping my efforts to serve you for the past year will meet your approval, and if so I feel sure I will have your support in the coming election.

Yours Truly,

J. F. SARGENT.

We are requested to announce the name of George W. Walker, Jr., as a candidate for tax collector of Lumpkin county who promises to discharge the duties of such office to the best of his ability and to the satisfaction of all if elected.

TAX RECEIVER'S LAST ROUND.

I will be at Aurora, May 17th to 19th, Martin's Ford 18th, 10 a. m., Washo 4 p. m., Shoal Creek 19th, 10 a. m., Crumby's 20th, 9 a. m., Porter Springs 21st, 10 a. m., Frog Town 21st 4 a. m., Chestnut 4 p. m., Yaboda 22d, 9 a. m., Cane Creek 3 p. m., Hightower 24th, 10 a. m., Davis 25th, 10 a. m., Mill Creek 26th 10 a. m., Jones' Creek 27th, 10 a. m., Nimblewill, 28th 10 a. m., Dahlonega 30th and 31st 10th a. m.

M. M. GRIZZLE, T. R.

NOTICE.

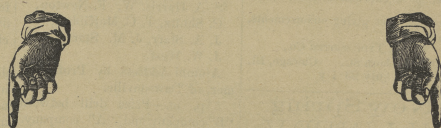
Georgia, Lumpkin County.
The public is hereby notified that the State of Georgia has filed in the office of Clerk of the Superior Court of said county its petition against the Town of Dahlonega praying for the confirming and validating of \$2,500 of School Bonds of such Town in accordance with the result of an election held in said Town on May 2nd, 1898. The Judge of said court has granted an order directing that cause be shown before him at Cleveland, Georgia, on June 4th, 1898, why said bonds should not be confirmed and validated as prayed for and the same will then and there be heard. The public will take due notice and govern itself accordingly. Given under my official signature as clerk of said court. This May 17, 1898. JOHN H. MOORE, clerk of the Superior court Lumpkin County.

TEACHERS EXAMINATION.

The annual examination of applicants for license to teach will be held on Friday, June 17th, next. All persons residing in Lumpkin county who wish to stand said examination will meet me in Dahlonega, Ga., on the above named date. A part of the questions will be taken from Page's Theory and Practice of Teaching, Hallbeck's Psychology and the Manual of Methods by calling on me. May 25, 1898. J. J. SEABOLT, C. S. C.

HACK LINE.

HAVING recently purchased the entire daily hack line from Dahlonega to Gainesville enables me to be more prompt in carrying express packages and passengers than heretofore on fast time at same old prices. None but safe and sober drivers will be put in charge of the mail and passengers. Prompt attention given to all business entrusted to my care. may 13 JOHN HATFIELD.



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may 28 C. W. SATTERFIELD, Gen. Man.

A. S. Wheelchel, of New Bridge, spent a few hours in our town last Saturday on business.

M. G. Head thinks of making the race for sheriff. If he does his announcement will appear soon.

Miss Blanch Cook, who has been absent for several months returned to Dahlonega one day last week.

C. H. Hart, general business manager of the Hall Commissary spent several days in Atlanta last week on business.

Hugh and Alfred Poor have been bound over during the past few days, charged with working in an illicit distillery some time ago.

W. R. Hightower, who is clerking in a store at Gainesville was up to see his folks last Sunday apparently in the best of humor and most excellent health.

The president of the Temperance Union requests us to say that the society will meet at the M. E. Church next Sunday night, one week earlier than usual.

Last Sunday during a baptizing up near Cane Creek church Miss Milbury Reid who was standing near the edge of the bank, fainted and fell into the water. She was taken out and carried home and several days passed before the young lady recovered. She is a daughter of W. H. Reid.

John Davis, who has been engaged in mining up in White county for some time at the works of the Chattahoochee Gold Mining Company, was down to see the old folks at home in Dahlonega last Saturday and Sunday. John reports everything up that way as moving along all right in mining circles.

Ned Moose, who went away from this county recently without his fathers consent, wrote back from Jackson county last Monday that he was going to join the army and go to the front. Ned is a minor and will find fighting Spaniards much more difficult than following his usual business, and no doubt when he reaches Cuba soil he will think of home and wish he had remained there many a time before the war is over.

Cicero Stargel, who we mentioned as being dangerously sick last week, breathed his last on Saturday afternoon in the upper portion of this county, of pneumonia fever after an illness of about ten days. He had rode over from Union county to visit his sick son who died recently. After his sons death he went out to do some plowing and was over come by the heat and in two weeks from the time his son died he passed away too. His age is about 55. The deceased was an old confederate soldier and we trust that he is to-day with his comrades in that beautiful land on high where trouble and sickness are unknown. Cicero was a warm friend of the writer and we deeply regret his departure.

"Why don't you send to Gainesville for your supplies where you can get them so much cheaper?" was the question put to us the other day. Our reply was, that our patronage was mostly from the citizens of Dahlonega. Besides this, if we need any thing on a credit we can go to our merchants and get it, and when we get a few dimes we do not send it off some where else and leave our home merchants to get their money best they can for meat and bread eaten, like some do. Such as this is what makes goods high in Dahlonega. If every man in our county would trade with his home merchants and pay them, instead of sending off their money you would soon see a big reduction in the price of goods right here at home. Now, we don't want any cheap goods from the Gainesville merchants nor none of their goods. We are for home first, last and all the time.

See notice to teachers elsewhere. The happiness of Marion Chester was increased last Monday by the appearance of a bright eyed little girl down at his house.

We regret that Uncle John Berry and Mrs. Martin McBrayer, two very old people residing in Nimbilewitt district, are quite sick.

J. F. Moore, president of the Big Joe Mine, has been over there several days this week devising still better plans for the working of that rich mine.

Will, a son of Ferdinand McDonald, who went to Arkansas from Lumpkin county some years ago, joined the army the other day and has gone to fight Spaniards.

We have been blessed with refreshing showers during the past few days, making the industrious gardeners and farmers wear a very broad and pleasant smile.

Wednesday morning Bailiff Jonathan Williams levied on an oxen belonging to Harve Stephens and when the old man went to drive it off it ran away. He got fastened in the rope and was dragged a considerable distance and sprained one of his ankles so as to render him unable to walk.

L. W. Cochran, who has just returned from Gaddistown says that they are having a good deal of sickness over there—three persons having died from fever last week, being Mrs. Fate Thomaston, Mrs. John Thomaston, and a son of John Cochran, and still several more cases of sickness in the neighborhood.

Uncle John Simmons recovered from his recent spell of sickness so as to be able to come down to town from Two Run last Monday. Mr. Simmons is now 81 years of age and has been a citizen of Lumpkin county ever since '53. He is getting all right now as he made arrangements for the Weekly Constitution and NUGGET to visit his house for the next 12 months.

The wife of Jackson Lee died in the upper portion of this county on last Saturday afternoon, a short time after the departure of her little infant, leaving a host of relatives and friends to mourn her sudden and unexpected departure. Mrs. Lee is the mother of ex-sheriff Pruitts wife and a sister of Larkin and West Walker. She was the mother of eleven children—six living and five dead. Her remains were interred at Yahoola cemetery the following day in the presence of many people.

Miller Davis, of Two Run, was in Dahlonega last Monday and said the people up his way had had no school this year and all the children are growing up in ignorance since the board of education requires a teacher to have an average of fifteen pupils else he cannot teach. Some parents won't patronize a school and those that desire to do so cannot on account of this rule and therefore get no benefits from the large amount of money that is appropriated to educate the children of Georgia.

The other night Green Abercrombie, who lives down at the Briar Patch, got some tangle legs either in town or on his way home. When Green gets full of it he doesn't get mad but loves every man, woman and child he meets and has a saying, "I see my Jesus." So that night while wabbling along a narrow path he got off of the track and kinder lost his way. Some of his friends who were on ahead looked around and not seeing or hearing Green, walked back and discovered their man standing near the edge of a deep cut, and when they told him to come on he said, "I think I see my Jesus," and leaped off of the bank and went rolling and tumbling down to the bottom of the cut to a depth of about 25 feet, where his nose and face were buried in the soft dirt below. Green's tangle changed causing him to say "Oh Lordy." Fortunately the fall sobered the man instead of injuring him, and when the boys got the dirt brushed from his face Green was all right.

Ladies can keep cool in Meaders & Sons summer corsets. Worth 32 cents.

Quite a large number of people were caught out in the rain last Sunday afternoon while attending the baptizing down at Wimpy's mill.

Mr. Carroll and his family went up to church last Sunday at his old home on Shoal Creek in White county. He said that they had a good meeting and a big rain.

A few days ago some one passing above Jesse McDonalds discovered a beehive which had been blown down by the wind, containing much honey, a large amount of which had been wasted.

The colored people washed their feet and had an interesting meeting last Sunday at their Baptist church in Dahlonega, which was attended by people of their race for miles around.

Wm. G. Spencer, of Porter Springs, was awarded the contract for building the kitchen and dining room of the college dormitory for the sum of \$275—contractor furnishing all the lumber.

Our friend Robt. Howell hasn't yet recovered from his late spell of sickness but has improved enough to be able to ride down to his sisters, Mrs. Rice, last Saturday and spend the day.

Judge Tate has been notified by pension agent Johnson that the invalid pensioners fund has been exhausted and applicants will now be compelled to wait until next year. So it is useless to send in any more claims until then, which will enable the pension agent and ordinaries to get a little rest in this line of duty.

Clyde Meaders was up before the Mayor Wednesday evening for reckless riding on the streets. Clyde said that he was only breaking his mule. An ordinance was passed and published in the Signal in August 1894 against reckless riding but was never recorded on the minutes, and the mayor postponed rendering his decision until yesterday, when he fined him one and cost. The town laws seem to be scattered.

The other afternoon while Marshal Davis was up at his home he heard some rapid firing just across the hill near John Austins. Thinking that it might be the Spaniards approaching our town up the Sand Branch the officer made good use of his legs until he reached the scene, when lo and behold to his surprise he found that it was only Frank Reese doing some target practice with his revolver. As soon as the marshal could catch his breath he told Frank that he had better see the Mayor and plead guilty.

The protracted meeting at the Baptist church in Dahlonega closed last week with an addition of only one member, but no doubt the many interesting things the minister said during the meeting will have a lasting effect upon many of his hearers. There was no big excitement during the meeting but it was carried on in a business like manner. It is not the biggest excitement at revivals that always accomplishes the most good. It is a noticeable fact that the biggest and loudest shouting always occurs at night and the preacher has to keep the music going then or the shouting ceases.

Rev. W. H. McAffee went out to Peck's Chapel and preached to a large congregation at that place of worship. Although Mr. McAffee lives in town he is an old time preacher that we have heard preach many a time when a boy, who never fails to interest his hearers. He does not try to be a second Sam Jones, but preaches about things in the Bible. Leaves off all ridicule and abuse and does not stand up in the pulpit and talk about men's standing collars and the kind of clothes the women wear. Some ministers who are paid to preach do that and their efforts have no more effect on the congregation than a blank load fired towards Spain.

If you want to spend a pleasant summer come to Dahlonega.

Mr. Carroll, of our town, was taken suddenly sick last Tuesday and was out of his head for some time but is a little better now.

Some of our citizens are killing the potato bugs with Paris Green. A spoonful dissolved in a gallon of water sprinkled on the vines will wind up their career.

Those who helped to pay Mrs. Owens's fine will not be at any loss as she told a member of the council the other day that she intended paying every cent of it back, then she expected to get her a barrel of liquor and sell it out. This will be good news to those who use the tonic.

Uncle Tony Stephens is one of the few old time darkies left in this county who really know what "mama" means. He lives close to the NUGGET office, bothers no ones chicken roost at night, but sits and makes baskets while his grand sons play on the guitar, which shows the difference of fifty years ago and today.

Mr. James Robinson and Rev. W. O. Butler, of Ellijay, were in the city last Friday. Mr. Robinson has purchased the Houser hotel at Dawsonville and was up to see Capt. Hall who had a mortgage against it, while Mr. Butler was on his way to Cleveland to visit some of his relatives. Rev. D. M. Edwards, of Dawsonville, was also here.

A box supper was given at the Court House last Tuesday evening by the ladies of the Memorial Association and the Corona Society. It was attended by a large number of people all of whom seemed to enjoy themselves. The bidding was near \$250. One fellow gave near \$2 for a little box who has been owing us 15 cents for a batch of NUGGETS for near six months to send off that contained his name.

The ordinary requests us to state that he desires the name of every ex-Confederate soldier in Lumpkin county to be sent to his office for the benefit of the committees which have to make out a list by August in accordance with act of the last legislature. Write your name on a postal, the company and regiment to which you belonged and address it to him. It is his duty to appoint a committee of three from each company in the county whose duty it is to get up a complete roll of all soldiers belonging to the same, as stated some weeks ago in these columns.

Harrison and Harve Anderson are brothers—both colored. Harrison is a farmer who goes barefooted and barelegged and is a tenant of Col. Baker, who resides a little over a mile from town. Harve is a barber residing in our city, wears patent leather slippers, starched shirt and a derby hat all the week round, and has heard so much proper talk that he uses a great deal of it, occasionally wedging in a word correct. He kills eggs, fries coffee and cuts off a chickens head every time the minister comes round, for he is one of the main pillars of his church which makes him a great favorite among the divines of his race and denomination. Harrison belongs to the church too but has occupation and location keeps him behind the times, more especially in big college words. Both have belonged to the church about two years. Harve frequently prays in public but Harrison has never been heard to open his mouth in this respect for Col. Baker has worked him so hard that he has never even thought of praying before retiring at night much less in public. The other night at church the preacher called upon Brother Harrison Anderson to pray. As the congregation was kneeling wondering what the poor negro would say, he was discovered reaching over to where his brother was kneeling and heard to whisper, "You pray and I'll bring you a half bushel of corn up in the morning." Harve prayed and prayed until the congregation began to wonder if he would stop at any time before day.

Col. W. A. Charters spent several days in Atlanta last week.

It is not often that you hear of a person that wants to withdraw from a church without giving some reasons but it was so the other day up at Salena. While they were transacting business a male member got up and said that he was going to continue doing right but wanted them to scratch his name from the book. He was told that they couldn't do that unless charges were preferred. Of course he didn't wish to make them against himself. It may be that the ministers are crowding him and eating more than he can afford to give them since the price of sugar, coffee and flour has advanced caused by the declaration of war.

The potato bugs which have appeared this season are not like those of previous years. They have no wings and cannot be scared away but remain until they eat up your potato vines or are killed out. H. D. Gurley upon hearing of the appearance of the destructive bugs in Dahlonega and thinking that they were the same kind that were with us last year, had a lot of fires built up in his garden so as to catch them on the wing in a single night, but the next day was very much surprised when he found them on hand by the hundreds perfectly wingless and had apparently enjoyed the accommodations they had received by being supplied with a light to eat by.

From what we understand Joseph England residing a few miles from Dahlonega, is living as happy as a Mormon. Nearly a quarter of a century ago he married a lady, and their married life was so unhappy that they afterwards separated and the woman went away to parts unknown. Joseph, after some time got tired of living alone and married a second woman and had been getting along all right up to one day last week when his first wife, who had been gone away for more than twenty years, made her appearance at his house, and at last accounts both of the man's wives were at home with him. What will be the result of this reunion we cannot say. Joe has been placed in embarrassing circumstances a time or two. Once he was a candidate for the deaconship of his church. A member spoke up and said that they had better postpone the matter for awhile on account of having no suitable material and when the candidate asked why he wouldn't do, the old brother rose up and said that he didn't believe in appointing a man as deacon having two living wives. England claimed that his first one was dead, but the members didn't all believe it and the man failed to get the position.

The supply of liquor last Saturday seemed to be ample to cause a good deal of shooting and yelling that night, disturbing our citizens from their quiet and peaceful rest. The shooting and Indian like yells commenced about nine o'clock and continued until long after midnight. Councilman Harrison was dreaming that he was fixing to blow up that big gun at Havana and just before touching off the match that would have destroyed the whole thing and went upon record as a great American victory he woke up and rapid shooting and yelling was being kept up right on the public square. This is dangerous conduct which rarely ever occurs in any civilized community off in the mountains much less in an incorporated town like Dahlonega and should be stopped by all means. Drunken men should not be allowed to handle pistols in this manner right in the heart of our town. It's a shame. The little blind tiger that has been running over the way for months and months in the edge of town is being well patronized with an increase nearly every week and is getting to be quite a monster since Judge Kinsey fined the dealers so light, which causes much of this trouble. Women have to suffer for selling liquor in Dahlonega and able bodied men should not be permitted to do so.

A full program of the commencement exercises of the N. G. College will be found on first page.

We don't hear of any body in Dahlonega now that wants to go and fight Spaniards. The weather is too hot.

Capt. Hall informs us that he will soon resume work on his Chesapeake property, completing his grist mill and making other improvements.

Mrs. James Adams knocked her husband down out at the door with a chair Tuesday night where he lay until some one passed along and carried him into the house.

It seems that the junior editor of the Signal wants new school books for Lumpkin county adopted so as advance four children more and learn them to be as wise at the age of eighteen as Noah Webster was when he died.

Last Saturday as a certain farmer was renewing his subscription to the NUGGET he said that it was the best paper ever published in Dahlonega, and that he could not get along without it and didn't mean to try.

W. F. Worley, dealer in monuments, is now connected with the Signal's staff. He gathers news, sets type and sells tombstones. So now when one of their patrons die they give him his subscription and furnish him with a tombstone. A coffin dealer is so to be added to the staff later on. Then when one of their subscribers bids farewell to this land of trouble he can be put away safely and nicely until he is called to go to the next.

One of Gainesville's soiled doves, who has been up on a visit for several days and located about two miles from our town, appeared in Dahlonega the other day and came near colliding on the streets with one of Dahlonega's society(?) girls about a certain married man. When peace was proclaimed she shook her well filled pocket book and said that she would soon return to Gainesville. We learn that they afterwards met and had a fight right in the public square at Last Chance. Both are said to be well armed and further trouble is expected when they meet again.

Justice is dealt out quite different by officials now days than some years ago. Used to when a defendant pleaded guilty he had to appear in open court, stand up and have the sentence of court passed on him as an example and warning to others, but now a man can have a sentence passed on him and be many miles away. At last term of the court Charlie Meaders was sentenced to pay a fine of \$10 and him in Gainesville or Alabama, and we understand that Moultrie Smith's fine was fixed at \$10 and \$10 costs, while the boy was no nearer Dahlonega than Blacksher, Ga.

Turkey Bill Postell, of Porter Springs, after an extended visit to North Carolina returned home last Saturday night which caused his two sons—Jacob and Harrison—to rejoice in such a manner as to alarm the whole neighborhood for miles around. The old man stayed so long that the boys had become alarmed for fear that they would have to strike out in the hot sun and earn a living for themselves. They had a good cause to rejoice at his arrival. Soon after Turkey arrived they gathered up a lot of dynamite and had a number of big guns, which were heard across the mountain in Union county. It scared the natives for they had never heard anything like it up there before. Neighbors arose from their beds, gathered up their children and went from house to house and talked and wondered what it could be. Some thought that the Spaniards were capturing America, while John Marr believed that it was a higher power than the Spanish nation. Henry Mote believed that the world was coming to an end. The boys had heard of the big to do at Washington when Gen. Lee returned to the United States and they thought dad was as good as Lee and deserved just as much credit for finding his way safely home as he did.

